

Weather

Cloudy, milder. The maximum temperature yesterday was 69.3 and the minimum 35.2, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 57.9 and 49.5.

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MAILS for U. S. and Europe. Str. Pres. Pierce, 2 p.m. today. FOR Europe via Suez, Str. Nankin, 7.30 a.m. today. FROM U. S. and Europe, Str. Pres. Jefferson, 10.30 a.m. today. FROM Europe via Suez, Str. Andre Lebon, Monday.

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WAR CLOUDS IN NORTH ARE DETRIMENT TO BUSINESS

Traders Watching Fengtien-Chihli Movements

FEAR CONFLICT
Large Scale Transactions Held Up Temporarily

BY DAVID ARABIE

Political influences continue to exercise greater weight in business in Shanghai, and it is only natural, when Generals are preparing to attack each other a dull spell should result in trade. This week has been rather a slack one and all eyes are turned towards the North to see what the outcome between Chang Tso-lin and Wu Pei-fu will be. It seems as if we are in for a cycle of diminished activity or, more properly, stalemated, with a compensating degree of bustle after the war clouds lift.

In the meantime the prospects of a spring war are still lowering and hopes of a mediation are on the knees of the gods. Such a problematical state of affairs cannot inspire much optimism and is certainly discouraging many dealers from placing orders. Trade is temporarily demoralized. Yet perhaps that is not quite the correct word to apply, as with demoralization comes a frantic desire on the part of holders to unload their stocks irrespective of price, but this is not the case.

The actual position is that there is an almost entire absence of demand of goods, proportions, and this is the result of the all-pervading tactics of the Chinese Generals. These attacks of spring and summer in China have become such a sad feature of the country's life that there has begun to grow a deep-rooted fear in the minds of the Chinese dealer, deterring him every year from placing orders for spring or summer.

It is hardly necessary for us to dwell upon the great injury done to trade in general by such outbreaks year in and year out. They upset the whole mercantile machinery, impairing confidence to a great extent. With such handicaps it is remarkable that the trade of China could continue to show expansion. At present merchants are confronted with a baffling and perplexing situation, and there is no certainty as to when it is going to clear up. With so many conflicting reports of a coming clash it has been virtually impossible to do business on a large scale, and evolution of prices has been insignificant in many lines.

The export demand for manufactured cotton yarn has fallen off this week, for against some 20,000 bales exported last week we have some 6,500 bales reported as sold this week for export to places in the interior. Such a sharp drop is a serious blow to the cotton trade, and the price of yarn in mills are still high, especially of 16's.

The price of 20's appreciated this week two points on account of purchases by merchants from the Szechuen Province, while that of 16's dropped two to three points per bale compared with last week. Sixteens are quoted at Tls. 144 and twentys at Tls. 154.

The tug-of-war that we referred to last week between the bulls and bears in the cotton market did not abate this week, the action of the "Tungchow" bulls being offset by the "Tungchow" bears. The price of cotton is still high, especially of 16's.

There is a decided nervous feeling among the local merchants owing to the repeated rumors of warlike preparations. This has been the case for some time.

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Anti-Saloon League Head Facing Charges



William H. Anderson

WILLIAM H. Anderson, for nine years head of the New York State Anti-Saloon League and one of the bitterest opponents of the "wet," faces charges that have been made to the District Attorney of New York City. The allegations were made by a former financial solicitor for the League, who asserts Anderson forced him to "split" his commissions; that Anderson drew \$15,000 a year salary instead of the \$10,000 he claimed—his lawful salary—and committed other financial irregularities. Anderson replied that the entire charge is "a species of blackmail and extortion" on the part of his enemies.

SUN WILL OPPOSE WU, SEEKS FUNDS TO MAKE FIGHT

Attitude Of General Shen Continues To Be Doubtful

(Reuters' Pacific Service)

Peking, April 10.—According to the latest reports from Canton Dr. Sun Yat-sen was very incensed with General Wu Pei-fu over the appointment of General Shen Hung-ying as Tull of Kwangtung and is determined to oppose General Wu whenever and wherever possible. Dr. Sun is trying to raise money both from foreign and Chinese sources so that he may be more in a position to consolidate himself in Canton but hitherto he has not been very successful in persuading any foreign bodies to lend him money.

The attitude of General Shen Hung-ying continues to be doubtful. He is reported to have received \$100,000 recently from Dr. Sun for "military expenses" on condition that he should leave the North River district. His position is considered somewhat insecure in Kwangtung and therefore he is still playing a waiting game.

General Shen Hung-ying's position is rendered more difficult by the advance of General Hsu Chung-chih into Kwangtung. Two divisions of the latter's troops are reported to have entered Kwangtung and to have defeated a small force of Sun troops and to have continued their march.

Owing to the situation in Yunnan, the Yunnan troops in Kwangtung are inclined to stay where they are and to come to terms with Dr. Sun Yat-sen and this still further increases General Shen Hung-ying's difficulties.

It is also reported that General Li Lieh-chun may shortly move his troops into Fukien and this would free more of General Hsu Chung-chih's forces to advance to Dr. Sun Yat-sen's support.

SPEAKS TO STUDENTS

(Reuters' Service)

London, April 12.—Mr. Chu Chao-hsin, the Chinese Charge d'Affaires in London today gave a reception at the Chinese Legation to which all Chinese students and merchants in Britain were invited to meet Mr. Fan Yuan-lin, former Minister of Education, Mr. Chu and Mr. Fan addressed their compatriots. Mr. Fan gave advice to the students particularly.

Chinese Hawkers In Riot, Clashing With The Police, At New Hongkew Market

Crowd Of 3,000 Threatens As Group Of Stall-Holders Resists Re-arrangement Plan; Five Ringleaders Brought To Court

A riot which threatened to develop into grave proportions, involving between 2,000 and 3,000 people, was stemmed at Hongkew Market by police of Hongkew Station Thursday afternoon—five of the ringleaders in the disturbance appearing in the Mixed Court yesterday.

The trouble broke when Health Department officials appeared at the market to order the re-arrangement of certain hawkers' stalls in consequence of the opening of the new part of the marketplace. The hawkers engaged in selling chicken meat refused to move to the new location allotted them and when Health Department coolies were instructed to move the stalls, the hawkers forcibly interfered. Health Department Inspectors Velt and Gow sent a call for assistance to Hongkew Station and Inspector Mackenzie and a squad of men responded. Arriving, the police officers were told where the stalls were to be moved and ordered the coolies to go ahead with the work.

RUSH POLICE CORDON
At this the hawkers climbed upon their stalls and refused to let them be shifted, shouting meanwhile to the huge crowd which had gathered to assist.

Then a knot of the hawkers, including the accused, seized hold of a stall and rushed it through the police cordon and the crowd. Inspector Mackenzie stated in court, nearly got out of control. Other hawkers rushed to the upper floors of the market and began throwing chairs and parts of stalls down upon the police below.

Inspector Mackenzie managed to arrest the first, second and fourth accused, another foreign police officer caught a fourth man and a Chinese constable got hold of the fifth; these men being apparently the leaders in the disturbance. The prisoners were sent to the station and as the disturbance on the upper floors appeared to be gaining violence a call for reserves was sent out and every available man in the district was rushed, armed to the scene. It was over two hours before the crowd was finally dispersed.

FEARED MORE TROUBLE
It was feared that there would be another outbreak yesterday afternoon, but strong precautionary measures were taken by the police and there was no trouble.

The five men arrested appeared before Assessor Mead and Magistrate Tamm yesterday, when Inspector Mackenzie and Health Inspector Gow gave evidence regarding the riot. Health Inspector Gow stated that the removal to a new section of the chicken meat stalls was a part of the re-arrangement scheme. The new locations in most cases were determined by the drawing of lots and no discrimination whatever was shown. Their hawkers at present were occupying a quarter of the market otherwise devoted to Japanese hawkers. During the last week over 1,000 stalls had moved to new locations without any signs of dissatisfaction. Only the 20 to 30 chicken meat sellers had resisted.

The first accused was called to the witness box and stated that he and his fellow dealers had occupied the same location in the market for six or seven years at least and that they had been told recently by the Health authorities that they might remain there. Had they been told previously that they would have to move they would have done so without question, but they were under the impression that they could remain until the actual removal was started.

CALLS MOVE MISTAKE
Mr. P. W. Goldring, appearing for the defendants, submitted that it had been a serious mistake for the Health Department not to have given previous written notice and to try and effect a removal of the stalls at this particular time, when there was considerable feeling in the Settlement against a certain nationality whose stalls would replace those to be moved.

The Court decided to place the men under \$25 bond to keep the peace for one month and in giving its decision warned the hawkers to create no further trouble.

The Health Department has decided that your stalls must be moved," said the Assessor. "The Court is willing to believe that you became excited because you did not understand, but you have no right when you become excited to resist the police or the officers of the Health Department. If you do so you must be punished. So far as we know you have not been in trouble before so we will let you off, but each of you will put up \$25 security to be good behavior for one month. If you come before the Court again you will be severely punished."

The classes are being conducted under the direction of Miss W. K. Wang, Miss Elizabeth Morrison and Miss T. K. Phen. The "Y" will strive to teach the women 1,000 of the most commonly used characters. If the classes prove successful the work will be extended.

MILAN FAIR

(French Wireless through Reuters)

Paris, April 12.—M. Dior, the Minister of Commerce, speaking at the opening of the Milan Fair, said that his visit to Italy was a proof of the interest of the French Government in the offer of economic exchanges between the two countries.

NEW AERO LINE

(Reuters' Service)

Teheran, April 13.—An aeroplane bringing mails arrived from Moscow yesterday. It is rumored that this is the forerunner of a weekly postal and passenger service between Berlin and Teheran via Moscow.

COMMONS IS AGAIN UNDER CONTROL OF GOVERNMENT

Motion To Close Discussion On Bill Wins, 242-155

"FACE" IS SAVED

Committee For Investigation Of Service Pay To Be Enlarged

(Reuters' Service)

London, April 13.—The Government's majorities in the House of Commons tonight were normal. The motion for the closure of the discussion of the Civil Service Estimates was passed by 242 votes to 155. The House continued until past midnight quietly discussing minor estimates.

(Reuters' Service)

London, April 12.—In the House of Commons today, bowing to the dissatisfaction expressed by the adverse vote on Tuesday, Mr. Stanley Baldwin, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, announced that the Government had decided to extend the powers of the Committee, appointed before Easter, to enable it immediately to consider and report on the question of the initial salaries of ex-servicemen in the Civil Service. The Committee would have a non-partisan chairman and would include nine Members of the House of Commons and two women.

Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, the leader of the Labor Party, expressed satisfaction and regretted that the announcement was not made yesterday.

Piquancy was lent to the debate by the fact that the Liberals and the Labor Members were at loggerheads on the question of precedence in resuming the discussion, which explained the Ministerial cheers which greeted the Liberal Member for East Fife, Mr. James Duncan Miller, when he moved the appointment of a Select Committee to enquire into the salary conditions of ex-servicemen in the Civil Service. Mr. Miller repudiated the suggestion that any party had a monopoly of interest in the matter.

Mr. George Jarrett, National Liberal Member for Dartford, seconded the motion and aroused Labor protests and Liberal and Conservative counter-cheers by the remark that certain post-war protagonists of the ex-servicemen were attempting to make it a party question.

Mr. Asquith, following Mr. Baldwin's announcement, stressed the unanimity of opinion on the subject and appealed to Mr. Miller to withdraw the motion, which Mr. Miller did after a little breeze, due to the Labor Member for Carlisle, Mr. George Middleton, congratulating the Government on accepting the Labor request.

(Reuters' Service)

London, April 12.—The scenes in the House of Commons yesterday evening furnish an occasion for the newspapers to lecture both the Ministerialists and the Labor Members for the unseemliness of the proceedings. The Government is arraigned for the incompetence of the whips and its supporters for slackness. The indifference of the advocates of Conservative reunion to the second-rate character of the Government. They dwell on the excessive burden thereby imposed on Mr. Bonar Law and urge the necessity of inclusion in the Ministry of some outstanding figure, like Mr. Austen Chamberlain. The Labor Members are warned by all the papers that they have marred their triumph of the previous day by yesterday evening's disturbance, which is believed to have been due in part to rivalry between Labor and the Liberals for the glory of inviting the defeat. The need of unity and discipline is impressed upon them, if they wish to drive home the success against the Government.

It is noteworthy that one result of the disorder was to postpone definitely the debate on the Government's proposals to improve the agricultural industry, which was fixed for yesterday evening and was expected to be one of the outstanding issues of the session.

Widow Of Discoverer Of Tut-Ankh-Amen's Tomb



Lady Carnarvon

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ANGRY CHINESE MOB DEFENDANT AFTER ACQUITTAL

Lively Scenes At Mixed Court As Secret Service Agency Shroff Leaves

There were some enlivening scenes in the neighborhood of the Mixed Court yesterday when a shroff who had just been acquitted on a charge of defrauding a secret of his fellow-countryman, and a police escort furnished to get him safely away were mobbed by the trade complainants and nearly a hundred of their friends and sympathizers.

The shroff, Zee Ching-sz, was accused of collecting \$20 apiece from twenty complainants under promise of securing them watchmen's jobs through the Oriental Secret Service Agency. The jobs failed to materialize and some days ago a number of the complainants left Zee and descended upon him in a body. His wife fled to the police station and police officers returned to the house and brought him and his accusers to the station, where the latter professed fraud charges.

The case was heard by Assessor Mead and Assessor Tsang and Zee was discharged owing to insufficiency of evidence. After the case was concluded the complainants and their sympathizers gathered outside the Mixed Court compound and the shroff dared not leave the grounds. Mixed Court officials applied to West Hongkew station for an escort and when the foreign and Chinese policemen arrived they surrounded Zee and started out of the court yard gates. The crowd closed in upon them, bent on wreaking vengeance upon the acquitted man and there was a lively set-to, blows were struck, Zee and a foreign constable were knocked down and the expedition was forced to withdraw to the compound once more.

At 12:30 p.m. nearly two hours and a half after Zee's case had finished, Inspector Mackenzie, who had been conducting the case against the Hongkew Market rioters, came out of court. Having a motor car available he offered to place Zee in the car and make a dash for it. Thus a second rally was organized. With Chief Inspector Wheeler, Sub-Inspector Crouch and Lovell and the West Hongkew contingent to clear the way for the start, Inspector Mackenzie drove out of the gates. The crowd immediately closed in upon him and swarmed about the automobile, clinging to the sides, jumping on the running board and jamming before it. One Chinese

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GERMANS, IN NEW OFFER TO BRITISH, SEEK TRADE GATE

Still Trying To Get Around French Restriction

PLAN TEST CASES

Will Try To Transport English Goods In Occupied Zone

(Reuters' Service)

London, April 12.—The German attitude in connection with the transit of British goods through occupied Germany, mentioned by Sir Philip Lloyd-Greame, the President of the Board of Trade, in the House of Commons on April 10, is illuminated by a telegram from Reuters' correspondent at Cologne, which explains that Germany at first offered to waive licenses on British goods provided France did the same, but Germany's power over licenses was compulsorily abolished in January. A second so-called concession related to instructions to Customs officials not to levy dues on goods which have already paid duty to the French, but this was practically useless owing to the non-withdrawal of the instruction to workmen to refuse to handle goods on Allied licenses. The Secretary of the British Chamber of Commerce in Germany has requested the Berlin Government to give an explicit definition of the scope of the German offer. Is the meantime efforts will be made to establish a precedent by persuading shippers that the recent order permits the transport of purely British goods, and thereby to set the ball rolling.

(Reuters' Service)

Cologne, April 13.—German police yesterday fired on a crowd of 2,000 unemployed persons who were holding a demonstration before the Town Hall in Duisburg and demanding increased allowances. Four persons were killed and 13 wounded.

(French Wireless through Reuters)

Paris, April 12.—The Warsaw press denies the reports from German sources that the Polish Minister of Foreign Affairs had an interview at Milan with Herr Stinnes.

(French Wireless through Reuters)

Paris, April 12.—The removal of coke from the district newly occupied by the French continues in favorable conditions. The Germans are now working to provide themselves with a livelihood.

(Reuters' Service)

Berlin, April 12.—The floating debt of Germany in discounted Treasury Bills at the end of March amounted to 6,600,000,000 marks, an increase of 600,000,000 during the last ten days of March.

Building Workers To Be Locked Out

(Reuters' Service)
London, April 12.—The negotiations between employers and workers in the building trade have broken down. The lockout notice will take effect on Saturday.

(Reuters' Service)

London, April 13.—A five and a half hours' conference between mediators representing the farmers' offer being unacceptable. The day proved abortive, the employment being unacceptable. The Building Trade Union Federation, which has hitherto argued that the employers' terms violate the existing agreement, has now decided on a ballot of the men on the subject of submitting the whole issue to arbitration.

(Reuters' Service)

Paris, April 13.—A strike of 5,000 midwives yesterday led to disturbances. The police charged at the strikers and arrested four.

ENVOY RETURNING

(Reuters' Pacific Service)

Peking, April 10.—Mr. Lu Cheng-hsiang, the Minister to Switzerland, has obtained permission from the Chinese Government to return home for leave.

"TIMES" CAUSTIC IN REFERENCE TO PEKING SCHEME

Resents Attempt To Divert
Portion Of Customs
Surplus

(Reuter's Service)
London, April 12.—Replying to a message from its Peking correspondent with regard to a request made by Dr. Wellington Koo as the Acting Chief of the Foreign Office to the Diplomatic Body to release £320,000 out of the Customs surplus for the payment of arrears in salary and expenses due to their Chinese colleagues abroad and the reply of the Acting Inspector-General of the Customs that there is at present no surplus available for the purpose, the "Times" in a leading article, headed "The Chinese Micawber," points out that Customs surplus is liable for the whole amount due to holders of internal loans.

The Peking Government now desires to deprive its domestic creditors of this security to the extent named and to appropriate the money for other purposes. The struggle is primarily between the Government and its Chinese creditors and its consequences to foreigners are only indirect, although they might well prove to be very serious. Any tampering with the security for even a portion of the total \$340,000,000 of domestic loans would almost certainly create a panic which would react on foreign trade, but the bondholders can rely on the Inspector-General to see that the surplus goes to the service of the domestic loans.

The Chinese Government could legally divert him of the administration of the internal loans but it is not thought likely that they will venture upon a step which would bring down upon them native banks and add fresh complications to the existing chaos in finance. Some of the holders of internal debt are merely gamblers who do not deserve much consideration, but China is in dire need of foreign assistance if she is to stave off bankruptcy and she will not improve her credit abroad by trying to deprive even gamblers of the security on which they have advanced money.

U. S. PAPERS SEE COMPLICATIONS NEW TURK GRANT

Fear Concessions May Involve
Country In Near
East

(Reuter's Service)
New York, April 12.—The newspapers here are fearful that the Chester concession will eventually involve the United States in Near-Eastern politics.

The New York Times believes that, with the Mosul oilfields subject to dispute between Britain and Turkey, the Turks probably reasoned that the Chester concession would incline the United States to take their side.

The New York World asserts that the concession may be good business but is certainly shrewd diplomacy, for Turkey, caught between British and French pressure, has drawn another power into Near-Eastern politics.

According to Reuter's Washington correspondent the Government has not hitherto negotiated in this matter but any conflicting claims arising from British and French interests would be adjusted by an international tribunal. Officials believe that the concession, as it was first proposed, would come within the American "open door" policy and, unless modified since, it could be supported by diplomatic means. It is also pointed out that the statement that the British oil interests in Mosul are secured by the Mesopotamian mandate from any possible conflict with the Chester concession, is admittedly unconvincing as Class A mandates have not yet been made finally effective.

Two Russians Fined For Traffic Breaches

Two Russian citizens were fined for traffic regulation violations by Assessor Ivanoff and Magistrate Tsang at the Mixed Court yesterday.

Mr. B. Lublin, 21 Broadway, was fined \$30 for improperly driving a motor car in a prohibited area on Quinson Road on March 25.

Mr. P. Iochidoff, 125 Bubbling Well Road, was fined \$3 for failing to obey police signals at the corner of Nanking and Szechuen Roads on March 31.

Manchester Chamber Head Has Plan For Indemnity

(Reuter's Service)

London, April 12.—Mr. W. Clare Lees, the President of the Manchester Chamber of Commerce has addressed a letter to Marquess Curzon, the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, on behalf of the Chamber making suggestions with regard to the use of the Boxer Indemnity funds, including education of Chinese in British schools and colleges in China, and establishment of a technical college in North China mainly with a view to developing existing native industries, such as afforestation, agriculture, etc., so that the Chinese may be helped to produce and sell their products to the best advantage. A few Chinese should be invited to England for post-graduate courses, but the candidates should

be very carefully chosen and the selection should be strictly limited.

The letter also suggests assistance and encouragement to British medical work in China and establishment of Chairs of Chinese at Universities in England, or assistance for those already established which need help. Proposals of Chinese in England might give public lectures on Chinese life and customs. The letter adds that students who have qualified in applied arts and manufactures in England or China, should be enabled to study on the spot the conditions and requirements of the other side and therefore properly qualified with advantage to British commerce be awarded scholarships for travel within China.

ADMIRAL TU, OF THE CHINESE NAVY, THROWS UP JOB

Peking Issues Chaban Against
Admiral Lin; Inquiry
Ordered

(Reuter's Pacific Service)
Peking, April 13.—Admiral Tu Hai-kwei, the Commander of the Navy, has resigned owing to the attitude of the fleet in demanding provincial autonomy.

The action of the navy in Shanghai has spread to other ports.

The Ministry of the Navy has issued a chaban against Admiral Lin Chien-chang, whom the navy in Shanghai elected commander-in-chief.

The Military Commissioner in Shanghai has been ordered to investigate the charges against Admiral Lin.

Two envoys from the Ministry of the Navy in Peking, Cheng Pao-tsung and Li Ching-hai, have been dispatched to Shanghai in an effort to conciliate the naval officers here who recently declared their opposition to the Central Government as a result of the appointment of General Sun Chuan-fang as Military Governor of Fukien.

In an interview, Admiral Ling Kuo-tsang, Commander-in-chief of the naval squadron here, declared that as soon as the necessary preparations were completed, the battleships under his command would sail for Fukien, unless General Sun withdrew his troops from that province. Admiral Lin stated that the flotilla in the South would not help General Sun.

The Hupoh residents at Shanghai have issued a circular telegram warning the Chihli militarists against carrying out their aggressive scheme. The message declares that if public opinion could overthrow the Manchukuo Government, it can overthrow the Chihli oligarchy. It adds that the people of Hupoh are groaning under the yoke of the aggressive generals and so are eager to work with their fellow-countrymen to fight against the Chihli warlords.

FOOCHOW SYMPATHETIC

Indications that the naval officers in the South will join with the Shanghai group in opposing the Peking Government's action in Foochow, was given yesterday in a telegram sent out by the Fukien naval officers and addressed to various naval leaders throughout the country.

The telegram said: "We are in receipt of a telegram from Shanghai and note the contents. You ask for our views in connection with your manifesto and ask us to take concerted action. We know there are always attempts to cause trouble among us from the outside and we trust that the present is not the result of temptations from outsiders. Attempts are being made to damage our honor, traditions, and our good name in spite of the hopes of the citizens of the country of the people for peace. We feel sure that you will not allow yourselves to be made tools of by others."

"Opinions may differ outside, but we of the Navy must always be united. We must work together in order to uphold our traditions and honor. We must not let others look down upon us, for we shall be looked down upon if we are divided."

"It is our hope that all naval leaders will send representatives to Shanghai in order that a general meeting may be held and the matter discussed at length so that there may be an early decision and settlement."

Ambrose Applejohn's Adventure

Every one an ace!

That is a line that occurs twice in the play. It about sums up the players. Every one is a top liner. Last night the play was "Ambrose Applejohn's Adventure." When we were boys—bless those wonderful days—we read little papers like "Puck" or "The Union Jack" or "The Marvel" or "Chums" or the "Boys Own Paper." Every page in every one of those papers was a thrill.

Last night took me back to the days when I revelled in those papers and their stories. I loved them. If the child is father to the man, then I can quite understand why all the grown ups who thoroughly enjoyed the play last night were so enthusiastic.

We were taken back through the medium of a dream to the days of pirates and hidden treasures. We saw mild looking individuals suddenly transfigured into doughty heroes. We were made to love and admire. The play is but a trifle but it delights.

The outstanding player last night was Permain. He was the mild individual, and later the valiant pirate. His characterization was perfect. He entered into every shade of the picture. He undoubtedly enjoyed his portrayal, but not nearly as much as we did on the dark side of the footlights. We have seen Mr. Permain in a couple of small character sketches, and it has been our pleasure to loudly applaud excellent work. Last night he got his chance. He took it in both hands and gave a performance that was splendid in every respect.

The rest of the cast filled in. They were all good. Tonight the same show will be repeated and it will fill the bill for a Saturday night audience.

Bandits Attack Philippine Town

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Manila, April 13.—An official telegram says that 30 armed bandits have invaded the town of Mulanay, in the province of Tayabas. The Provincial Governor, with a troop of constabulary, is hurrying to the scene and neighboring towns have been asked to give aid.

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Angry Chinese Mob Defendant After Acquittal

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He threw himself to the ground in front of the wheels and refused to move. This man was arrested and will be charged in Court today.

The fracas waxed warm again, but after the man beneath the wheels had been hauled off the car managed to get under way and sped down North Chongking Road and into Boore Road and to safety.

At yesterday's hearing Mr. Schoenfeld appeared for the defendant and stated to the Court that he had once been retained by complainants similar to those in this case. He had taken the matter into the British Police Court before Magistrate King, who told him that it was more a civil than a criminal matter and who refused to issue a warrant for a Mr. Tuck, head of the agency and employer of the present accused. It was impossible to charge this man unless conspiracy to defraud could be proved.

One of the complainants testified that he had met the accused on a boat and was told by him that Tuck wanted to engage watchmen. He wanted a \$30 guarantee to cover expenses of uniforms and boots. After some argument it was agreed that the amount be \$20. The accused received the money in Tuck's office and signed receipts and then the accused put the money in a handkerchief and left, in company with Tuck.

One of the alleged receipts was introduced by the witness but the Assessor after inspecting it remarked that it was merely a guarantee to Tuck from the accused for any money in excess of the \$20 for uniforms, etc.

The defendant declared that he had no connection with Tuck's agency. He had merely acted as middleman, he said, in the transaction between Tuck and the makers of the uniforms, some of whom he had paid. He denied that he got any money for introducing candidates for jobs and said that he had only brought the previous witness to Tuck's office at his own insistence.

RAIL MERGER

(Reuter's Service)

Columbus, Ohio, April 12.—The Van Sweringen company has completed the consolidation of five railroads under the name of the New York, Chicago and St. Louis Railroad.



No Exemptions In Cadet Examinations

(Reuter's Service)

London, April 12.—In the House of Commons today, replying to Mr. Frederick Hall (Labor), Mr. William Ormsby-Gore, the Under Secretary of State for the Colonies confirmed that in connection with the examinations for Eastern cadets no exemption to candidates from the usual age limits would be allowed on account of service with the Forces, although this was the accepted practice in connection with Civil Service examinations. He added that between 1919 and 1921 arrangements were made for recruiting a number of ex-service men for the Far East with a very considerable range of age above the normal limit, but the appointment of many of such cadets had proved a source of embarrassment both to the interests of the individuals and to the public service. It was therefore considered desirable to revert to the usual age limits when competition was re-introduced. Mr. Ormsby-Gore expressed the opinion that comparison with the Home Service was inapplicable.

Roosevelt And Harding Discuss Warship Turrets

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, April 12.—The Acting Secretary of the Navy, Mr. Theodore Roosevelt, today discussed with President Harding the problem of erecting gun turrets on American warships. Mr. Roosevelt said that conclusions have not been reached but he expected later

to examine the matter more fully with President Harding and Mr. Hughes, the Secretary of State.

(Reuter's Service)

Santiago de Chile, April 12.—With the presentation of the Chilean report to the Armament Committee, it is considered that an agreement on limitation of armaments is impossible during the present session of the Pan-American Conference. Chile is confronted with Brazil's determination to continue her armament program until her needs are provided for, and with the refusal of the Argentine to consider this as the basis of an agreement. It is the general opinion that the Argentine will closely follow Brazil in the effort to strengthen her Navy. The Chilean report proposes that each nation shall consider a formula which it seems the most direct and opportune for reducing expenditure on armament.

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Japanese Association To Seek Old Culture Revival

(Reuter's Pacific Service)
Tokyo, April 7.—A new association of significant importance, composed of the leading members of the two Houses of the Diet and of University Professors and other scholars, which had been initiated immediately after the close of the Great War for the purpose of counteracting the tendencies of the new current of thought following in the wake of the World War, has now been successfully organized under the title of the Association of the Culture of the Great East.

Press representatives of the city were invited by the President of the Association, Count Oki, the Minister of Railways to luncheon at the Peers Club on Saturday.

All the leading papers and news agencies were represented. Count Oki made a brief speech explaining the aim and purpose of the new association, which consists in the revival of the fundamental spirit and principle of the culture and civilization of the Great Orient or the Far East. The principal efforts of the association will be directed toward the study and promotion of the

thoughts and principles evolved and advocated by the leaders of thought and culture of this part of the world in the course of thousands of years. In a word, the chief aim of the association is educational. The Government will subsidize the association during the current fiscal year to the extent of 150,000 yen and a supplementary appropriation in the Budget for that purpose has already been passed by both Houses of the Diet at the last session just closed.

The Association is expected to start its work in June next. The movement will also be extended to China, and with the revival of the real thought and spirit of the Great Orient, it is expected that a very considerable contribution to world progress in general and also to the cause of universal peace will be made.

As a means of combatting the inroad of the so-called new thoughts which are apprehended as menacing the mental condition of Japan at present, the work of the new association is receiving very warm and wide support both from the Government and from the general public.

HOUSING SUBSIDY BILL IS ONE SIDED, ENEMIES CHARGE

Measure Will Benefit Only Unskilled Laborers, Claim

(Reuter's Service)
London, April 12.—The Government's Housing Bill empowers the Ministry of Health to contribute not more than £5 annually for twenty years for each one or two storied house or flat provided by local authorities. The Ministry is also empowered to contribute towards the cost of re-housing schemes by local authorities up to half of the annual loss on such schemes. The measure is retrospective for fifteen months.

Heavy Fighting On In Szechuen

(Reuter's Pacific Service)
Peking, April 13.—Details from Szechuan show that General Hsi Ching-yang's forces have divided, a part joining General Yang Sen and a part General Tan Mou-hsin. After fighting near Chungking on April 4 and within the city walls on April 5 General Tan Mou-hsin retreated to Hsichow. General Yang Sen has now restored order in Chungking and started in pursuit of General Tan.

General Teng Shih-hao issued a proclamation on March 27 stating that he was advancing on Chengtu under General Wu Pei-fu's orders with the object of suppressing brigands and bringing about unification in China in accordance with the desires of the Powers expressed during the Washington Conference.

Heavy fighting began on March 28 and on March 30 the arsenal at Chengtu was blown up. General Teng Shih-hao claims to have inflicted 20,000 casualties.

On March 30, General Liu Chieh-shun issued a proclamation stating that owing to lack of supplies and ammunition he could not fight any longer and was willing to give up his posts of Commander-in-Chief and Civil Governor.

CROSS RATE
(French Wireless through Reuter)
Paris, April 12.—The Paris-London cross-rate is quoted today at £1=69.96 francs.

Chinese Trio Charged As Armed Robbers

Three Chinese, one held by the police to be a notorious robber, appeared before Assessor Blackburn and Magistrate Li at the Mixed Court yesterday charged with being in possession of arms.

Chief Detective Inspector Cruickshank said that he had arrested the men in a lodging house at 1880 Seward Road, where they had been living for about a fortnight. The first accused was asleep and under his pillow was found a revolver with two loaded chambers. The Chief Inspector stated that this man, by his own admission, was chief of a robber band, though he denied committing any robberies in the Settlement. He had also been convicted in the French Mixed Court for carrying arms and had been expelled from the French Concession. The case was remanded two weeks for further investigation.

FRENCH REVENUE
(French Wireless through Reuter)
Paris, April 12.—Mr. Le Lasteyrie, the Minister of Finance, informed the Cabinet today that the revenue for the first three months of 1923 shows a surplus of 437,269,000 francs as compared with that for the corresponding period in 1922.

The Housing Bill is adversely criticised as ignoring the middle classes and not dealing with slums. It is pointed out that the main proposal of a £5 subsidy is confined to non-parlor houses and thus is merely benefitting the unskilled laborer. The other provisions are regarded as excellent, but the failure to meet middle class grievances, which has proved fatal to the Government in a number of bye-elections, is likely to provoke strong opposition.

Lynch's Relatives Put Under Arrest

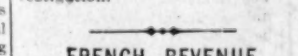
(Reuter's Service)
London, April 12.—Miss Mary McSwiney, Countess Markiewicz, Count and Countess Plunkett, Liam Lynch's brother and others are reported to have been arrested while en route to the funeral of Liam Lynch at Clonmel. Liam Lynch's brother was released, but all the others were removed to the local military headquarters.

Gloomy View As To China's Debts

(Reuter's Service)
London, April 12.—In the House of Commons today, replying to Sir Walter De Frece with regard to China's debts, Mr. Ronald McNeill, the Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, said that, according to information in his possession, the Chinese Government was refusing to pay the bonds of ex-enemy issues held by ex-enemy nationals at the time of China's declaration of war, irrespective of the present ownership of such bonds. The present financial position of the Chinese railways was very obscure. As far as his information went, not one of the railways was now paying its way.

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(Reuter's Service)
Sydney, April 12.—As a result of the adoption by the City Council of a policy of absolute Empire preference, the Electricity Committee has recommended rejection of a Japanese tender of £687 to supply 2,500 insulators in favor of a Canadian tender of £1,562.

Urges League Of Pacific Nations

(Reuter's Service)
Melbourne, April 12.—In the course of a speech today Mr. S. M. Bruce, the Commonwealth Prime Minister, urged the formation of a League of Nations of the Pacific for mutual protection.

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CHANG TO LET SON LEAD SOLDIERS IF WAR STARTS

Mukden General Will Head Lesson Of Last Conflict

Peking, April 12.—In the event of an outbreak between the Fengtien and Chihli factions which is imminent, General Chang Hsueh-liang, General Chang Tso-lin's son, will be the Field Marshal of the Fengtien forces, while his father will remain in Mukden, says a report from Mukden.

General Chang Tso-lin learned a bitter lesson from the Fengtien-Chihli war of last year. He realises that the only hope of the Fengtien faction lies with the young soldiers recruited by officers who graduated from military academies abroad. He has shuffled a number of old-style com-

manders from the Fengtien camps and in place of the hand-picked soldiers whose only aim is to plunder whether defeated or victorious, he has trained several divisions of troops all possessing a general knowledge of the situation and animated by a spirit of vengeance. These troops he places under the command of his son who figured prominently in the last Fengtien-Chihli conflict, with the veteran general, Li Ching-lin, as Associate Commander.

For strategic reasons, it is reported, General Chang will first confine his maneuvers in the direction of Jehol, taking full advantage of the great inconvenience of communication on the part of the Chihli troops and of the conversant knowledge of the geographical condition there of his own forces.

The troops of General Li Ching-lin and General Chang Hsueh-liang are being concentrated at Sui-chung and Chaoyang respectively. They are ready to pounce upon Jehol, as soon as the gauntlet is thrown down by either side.



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57896 A 15

FURNISHED or unfurnished two rooms, private bathroom, to let. Apply to Box 182, THE CHINA PRESS, or telephone West 2651.
57932 A 14

FROM 1st May, Central district, well furnished large room, bathroom attached. Good board, 19A North Szechuen Road. Telephone North 1848.
57890 A 15

THE Bubbling Well Private Hotel, 103, Bubbling Well Road. To let, with board, large and well furnished rooms with private bathrooms attached. Suitable for married couples or bachelors. Excellent table, good service. Please apply at above address, or 'phone West 805.
57855 A 15

TO LET, furnished rooms, without board, in very quiet locality, \$20, \$30, \$35, \$55 and \$65 for each room. Apply to 4, Boundary Terrace, near the Victoria Nursing Home.
57819 A 14

TO LET, Central district, comfortably furnished large room, bathroom attached, good board, 19 North Szechuen Road. Tel. N. 951.
57653 A 17

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57998 A 17

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57988 A 17

WELL furnished single room, also double room, excellent table. Moderate charge, good location. Apply 59E, Range Road.
57996 A 11

TO LET, in a English home vicinity Range Road, large furnished bed sitting room with bath room attached \$55, including good breakfast. Apply to Box 210, THE CHINA PRESS.
58003 A 17

A comfortably furnished room and bath, suitable one or two gentlemen. Available April 15th. For particulars, write to Box 206, THE CHINA PRESS.
58006 A 2

TO LET, from 15th April, on large well furnished bedroom, with bathroom attached, also one small well furnished bedroom. Use of telephone, garage and tennis court. Please apply 98, Route des Soeurs.
57979 A 21

TO LET, furnished room, in private family, if desired breakfast only. Baikal Road. Apply to Box 195, THE CHINA PRESS.
57978 A 17

TO LET, nicely furnished room with verandah attached. Without board, 380, Avenue Joffre. Phone W. 3756.
57967 A 17

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57954 A 17

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58003

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57993

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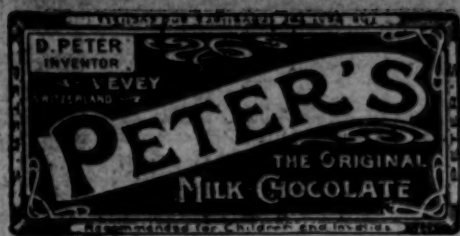
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TO LET, well furnished two roomed flat, with kitchen, or separate room. Southern view. Telephone. Apply 34, Wayside Road.
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TO LET, well furnished flat of two rooms, bathroom, kitchen, verandah, with taxes, lights, water included. Low rental. Apply 36, Ward Road.
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TO LET, fully or partly furnished flat of three rooms, kitchen and bath, small garden. (No children or animals). 12, Darroch Road.
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SHANGHAI SATURDAY, APRIL 14, 1923



Business and Official Notices

MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

No. 3133.
Notice is hereby given that in addition to the Resolutions to be brought forward by the Council, as published in Notification No. 3132, the following will be proposed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 15:
Resolution X.—That, in view of the abnormal traffic conditions prevailing in Shanghai and the necessity of providing for future development, a Commission consisting of a membership of 15 ratepayers be appointed, with power to fill vacancies, to arrange the method of procedure by which its business shall be conducted, and to determine the numbers necessary to form a quorum, and that the members of the Commission be selected in the manner as follows:—

5 members to be appointed by the Municipal Council;
10 members to be appointed by the Chairman of this Meeting, assisted by Sir Edward Pearce and Cecil Holliday, Esq.

and that the duties of this Commission shall be—
(a) To enquire into the existing conditions under which traffic is now conducted, including the accommodation provided by the public roads, the various means of transport which are or may be in the future employed, and any other thing or matter in its opinion affecting the question;
(b) To report upon the same and make such recommendations as it may think fit; such report and recommendations to be printed and issued to the ratepayers within one month of their being received by the Municipal Council.

Proposer: Arthur J. Hughes.
Seconder: Arthur Dallas.
By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
Secretary and Commissioner General.
Council Room,
Shanghai, April 12, 1923.

MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

No. 3134.
VOTING TICKETS
Notice is hereby given that voting tickets have been forwarded to Ratepayers entitled to vote at the forthcoming Annual Meeting of Ratepayers. Any such Ratepayer not having received his ticket by Monday morning, April 16, at latest, is requested to be good enough to communicate with the undersigned.
By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
Secretary and Commissioner General.
Council Room,
Shanghai, April 12, 1923.

MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

No. 3135.
HOTEL LICENCE
BOARDING OR LODGING HOUSE—CHINESE.
The following amended licence condition will be enforced from April 15, 1923:
No. 22: "That immediate notice be given to the Municipal Police of any crime or death occurring on the premises."
By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
Secretary and Commissioner General.
Council Room,
Shanghai, April 12, 1923.

MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

No. 3136.
TRAFFIC.
Notice is hereby given that in connexion with the relaying of a storm water drain, the section of the Alabaster Road between the Kansuh and Chekiang Roads will be closed to vehicular traffic approximately from April 19 to May 10.
By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
Secretary and Commissioner General.
Council Room,
Shanghai, April 12, 1923.

MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

No. 3137.
PUBLIC RECREATION GROUND
Clubs desirous of securing playing space within the race-course are requested to make application to E. Brook, Esq., 3 Yuenmingyuen Road, on or before Friday, May 4.
Each application should provide the following information in the order given:
1. Name of Club.
2. Name of Chairman or President.
3. Name and address of Secretary.
4. Number of Members.
5. Number of Playing Members.
6. Amount of Annual Subscription, if any.
7. Space applied for.
8. Whether, in case applications outrun the number of playing spaces, the Club is willing to share a space with another Club playing on alternate days.
All applications will receive the Public Recreation Ground Committee's attention, and permits will be issued as soon as possible after the date named.
By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
Secretary and Commissioner General.
Council Room,
Shanghai, April 12, 1923.

MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION

No. 3138.
Notice is hereby given that in addition to the Resolutions to be brought forward, as published in Notification No. 3132 and 3133, the following amendment to Resolution V will be proposed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 15:
That after the words "be approved and adopted" there be added "except that the estimated expenditure on the Municipal Orchestra Band be reduced from Tls 133,790 to Tls 132,790."
Proposer: GILBERT E. PEET.
Seconder: V. J. S. RUMBLE.
By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
Secretary and Commissioner General.
Council Room,
Shanghai, April 14, 1923.

NOTICE

The undersigned has severed connections with the Maxim's Cafe as from April 10th, 1923.
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A first dividend of 0.4% has been declared in the above matter and may be received at our offices on application on 16th April, 1923.

SETH, MANCELL & McLURE,
Official Court Accountants,
7 Avenue Edouard VII,
Shanghai, 13th April, 1923.
58001 A 14

NOTICE

During the temporary absence of Mr. Karl Oldorp the Management of the
Riekmeier Linie m. b. H. Hamburg Zweigniederlassung Shanghai, has been handed over to Mr. G. Diestel, who will sign per procura.
Shanghai, 12th April, 1923.
57983 A 14

Shanghai Municipal Orchestra

Symphony Concerts—Town Hall.
Sunday, April 15 at 5 p.m.
Thursday, April 19 at 9.15 p.m.
Admission \$1, \$0.50, and \$0.20.
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Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ltd.

Further Issue of Tls. 300,000 7 per cent Debentures at the price of Tls. 107.00 per cent.

The Directors will be prepared to receive applications on and after 1st December, 1922, for Tls. 300,000 debentures redeemable at par after 10 years on six months' notice, and on or before December 31st, 1922 (being part of an authorised issue of Tls. 4,000,000 bearing interest at the rate of 7 per cent per annum payable half-yearly on June 30th and December 31st of each year at the price of Tls. 107.00 per Tls. 100.00 debenture.
Copies of the Prospectus with full particulars and forms of application may be obtained at the Company's Head Office, No. 69 Kiangse Road, Shanghai.
By Order of the Directors,
W. R. WALTER,
Secretary.
Shanghai, November 29th, 1922.
T. F. 87

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Business and Official Notices

NATIONAL LOANS

During my absence from Peking on short leave, the service of the following Loans, namely
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4th Year Loan (1915),
11th Year Short Term Bond Issue (1922),
will be conducted as usual by the Officiating Inspector General of Customs Mr. C. A. V. Bowra.
The National Consolidated Loan Service in which are incorporated the following Loans, namely
8% Military Loan,
7% Consolidated Loan,
9th Year Loan,
5th Year Loan,
7th Year Long Term Bond Issue,
6% Consolidated Loan,
will remain under my personal direction, and the service of the Loans, so far as funds permit, will be carried on under my authority by the Secretary Mr. E. O. Reis at the National Consolidated Debt Office, No. 2 Tung Chang An Chieh.
F. A. AGLEN,
Inspector General of Customs.
Inspectorate General of Customs.
Peking, 6th April, 1923.
57886 A 15

NOTICE

The undersigned hereby give notice:—
That a Public Meeting of Ratepayers will be held in the Town Hall on Wednesday, April 18, at 2 o'clock p.m. precisely, to devise ways and means of raising the requisite funds for Municipal purposes, and to pass resolutions in reference thereto and to deliberate and decide upon other Municipal matters and business. At such meeting the accounts of the Council for the year ending December 31, 1922, will be submitted for the sanction and approval of the Ratepayers.
Shanghai, March 17th, 1923.
G. de Rossi,
Consul General for Italy.
E. S. Cunningham,
Consul General for the United States of America.
H. A. Wilden,
Consul General for France.
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Consul General for Portugal.
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Acting Consul General for Norway.
Hugo Rejss,
Consul for Brazil.
Arne Sorensen,
Acting Consul for Spain.
57537

The Semambu Rubber Estates, Limited

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Tenth Annual General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at No. 10 Canton Road, Shanghai, on Thursday, the 19th day of April, 1923, at 4 p.m.
The Transfer Book and Share Register of the Company will be closed from the 12th April to 19th April, 1923, both days inclusive.
By Order of the Directors,
R. N. TRUMAN & CO.,
General Managers.
Shanghai, 28th March, 1923.
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Chinese Government Railways

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NOTIFICATION No. 326.

INVITATION OF TENDER (138-9).

for

RAILWAY SLEEPERS AND BRIDGE TIES

The public is hereby notified that, with the approval of the Ministry of Communications, tenders are hereby invited for the SUPPLY, of, c.i.f. PUKOW
45,000 pieces HARD OAK OR OTHER HARD WOOD RAILWAY SLEEPERS.
500 pieces HARD OAK OR OTHER HARD WOOD BRIDGE TIES.

By order of the Ministry of Communications those wishing to submit tenders are required to make a deposit of one thousand Dollars (\$1,000), Tientsin Local Currency, which will be refunded to the respective tenderers after the selection of the tender.

In case the successful bidder announces his inability to supply the material or fails to call at the Administration's Office for the signing of a contract within the stated period after the announcement of the selection of tender, his deposit made at the time of tendering is forfeited, and his tender annulled.

Tenders must be signed, sealed with sealing wax and marked on the outside of envelope "Tender for Sleepers 1923" and addressed to the Managing Director, Tientsin-Pukow Railway Administration, Tientsin-Hopei, the same must reach the Administration by Express Post before 12 o'clock noon on the 30th April, 1923 and will be opened at 3 p.m. on the same day, in public.

Tender Forms attached with full specifications may be obtained from the Head Office of the Administration, Tientsin-Hopei, upon payment of the above mentioned tender deposit.

No tenders will be entertained unless presented within the time stated and made on the Forms supplied by the Administration. The Administration does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender and reserves the right to divide the order into lots.

(Sd.) SUN FUNG-TSAO,
Managing Director.

Tientsin, 10th April, 1923.
57980 A 20

Chinese Government Railways

TIENSIN-PUKOW LINE

NOTIFICATION No. 325.

INVITATION OF TENDERS (220-1)

The public is hereby notified that, with the approval of the Ministry of Communications, tenders are hereby invited for the supply of DRUGS (FOR TWELVE MONTHS).

By order of the Ministry of Communications, those wishing to submit tenders are required to make a deposit of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) Tientsin Local Currency, which will be refunded to the respective tenderer after the selection of the tender.

In case the successful bidder announces his inability to supply the Drugs or fails to call at the Administration's Office for the signing of a contract within the stated period after the announcement of selection of tender, his deposit made at the time of tendering is forfeited, and his tender annulled.

Tenders must be signed, sealed with sealing wax and marked on outside of envelope "Tender For Drugs" and addressed to the Managing Director, Tientsin-Pukow Railway Administration, Tientsin, the same must reach the Administration before noon of the 25th April, 1923 and will be opened at three o'clock on the same day, in public.

Tender forms attached with full particulars of quantities of each kind of drugs required may be obtained from the Head Office of the Administration, Tientsin, Hopei, upon payment of the above mentioned tender deposit.

No tenders will be entertained unless presented within the time stated and made on the Forms supplied by the Administration. The Administration does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender and reserves the right to divide the order into lots.

(Sd.) SUN FUNG-TSAO,
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Tientsin, 7th April, 1923.

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Commerce et de l'Industrie en
France.Milan: Credito Italiano
Rome: Banco di Roma
New York: The Irving National
BankSan Francisco: The Crocker
National Bank of San Fran-
cisco.

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Hankow Harbin Shanghai
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Janton Manchouli Tientsin
Jalair Kashgar Yanchow
Jankow Newchwang Yokohama

SHANGHAI BRANCH

Interest allowed on Current Ac-
counts and Fixed Deposits in
Taels and Dollars. Terms on ap-
plication. Local Bills Discounted.
Foreign Exchange on the princi-
pal cities of the world bought and
sold.SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES.
L. Jesterski,
P. Pettibuguenin,
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(Specially authorized and made a
National Bank by Presidential
Mandates of April 7th, 1914 and
October 11th, 1915)Capital: Dollars 20,000,000.00
President: Hon. Mr. Chang Chien.
Vice-President:Mr. Chien Yun-ming.
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Cities and Foreign Countries.
Every description of Banking and
Exchange business transacted. In-
terest allowed on Current Accounts
and Fixed Deposits according to
arrangement. Credit granted on ap-
proved securities. Special Facilities
for Transfers to all parts of ChinaSHANGHAI BRANCH:
14 The BundSHEN CHU HSU, Manager.
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E. T. Huang, Sub-Manager.Hongkong & Shanghai
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will be received.
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ceived during one month from any
single depositor.Interest at the rate of 3 1/2 %
per annum will be allowed upon
the monthly minimum balance.The maximum balance on which
interest will be allowed is
\$5,000.00.Deposits may be withdrawn on
Demand. Accounts will be kept
either in Dollars or Taels, Local
Currency, at the option of the
depositor.Depositors will be presented with
Pass Books, in which all transac-
tions will be entered. Pass
Books must be presented when
paying in or withdrawing money.OFFICE HOURS: 10 a.m. to
p.m. Saturdays, 10 a.m. to noon.

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Incorporated 1912.
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Capital Paid-up \$1,866,520-0-0
Reserve Fund H. K. \$300,000-0-0HEAD OFFICE:
No. 6 Des Voeux Road Central,
Hongkong.OFFICES:
Shanghai, New York, Canton and
Bangkok.AGENCIES:
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counts and Fixed Deposits accord-
ing to arrangement.Every description of Banking
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ted.SAVINGS DEPARTMENT.
We shall open our Savings De-
partment beginning on February
21st, 1923. Favorable terms given.
Savings deposits are cordially in-
vited.WONG WEN KUANG,
Manager.The Exchange Bank
of ChinaSHANGHAI BRANCH,
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C. 1946.
C. 6651.Telephone: "Knabox".
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Paid-up Capital \$2,443,700-00
Reserve Fund \$3,534,000-00Head Office: Peking.
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Foreign and Domestic Ex-
change Business a specialty. We
issue Demand Drafts, T.T. Letters
of Credit, Buying and Selling
Specie, etc. etc.Foreign and Domestic Com-
mercial Papers and Bills dis-
counted.Loans and Advances made on
approved Securities.Interest allowed on current ac-
counts and fixed deposits accord-
ing to arrangement.Foreign Agencies at Tokyo,
Yokohama, Kobe, Osaka, Naga-
saki, Moji, Singapore, Bombay,
London, New York.Domestic Agencies at Tientsin,
Hankow, Kiangsu, Tsingtau,
Dairen, Changchun, Mukden,
Soochow, Amoy, Swatow, Hong-
kong, Canton.Y. KATADH, Manager.
M. F. CHANG, Sub-Manager.

Banque De L'Indo-Chine

Subscribed Capital 72,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital 68,400,000.00
Reserve Fund
..... (1-6-20) 69,500,000.00Head Office:
No. 96 Boulevard Haussmann,
Paris.Branches and Agencies:
Saigon Hanoi Tourane
Haiphong Hankow Tientsin
Peking Canton Mongtsai
Jongkong Pondichery Bangkok
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Papeete Djibouti Yunnanfu
Phnom-Penh BattambangLondon Bankers:
The National Provincial and
Union Bank of England, Ltd.,
Comptoir National d'Escompte de
Paris—Credito Lyonnais.The Shanghai Agency under-
takes all Banking and Exchange
operations; grants credits on
goods and approved securities;
opens current and fixed deposit
accounts in taels and francs ac-
cording to arrangement.L. ARDAIN,
Manager.International Banking
Corporation

Capital U.S. \$5,000,000

Surplus and Undivided
Profits U.S. \$10,453,137Owned by the National City Bank
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the Bank.N. B. MARSHALL, Manager.
1A Kiukiang Road, Shanghai.

The Bank of China

(Specially authorized by Pre-
sidential Mandate of
15th April, 1915)Authorized Capital \$60,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital \$12,270,500.00
Reserve Fund \$2,443,700.00
Special Reserve Fund \$3,534,000.00Head Office: Peking.
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Yokohama.SHANGHAI BRANCH
22 The BundLoans granted on approved
Securities. Local Bills discounted.
Interest allowed on Current Ac-
counts and Fixed Deposits in Taels
or Dollars according to arrange-
ment.SUNG HAN-CHANG,
Manager.

Kinchen Banking Corporation

Authorized Capital \$5,000,000
Paid-up Capital \$5,000,000
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Head Office: Tientsin.

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kow, Nanking and Hongkong.Correspondents in all important
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tsin and Shanghai Offices.Cable Address: "Kinchen".
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pal places in Europe, Asia, Aus-
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deposits, according to arrange-
ment.M. J. HERBSCHLEB,
Agent.行銀亞東
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No. 10 Kiukiang Road.Authorized Capital \$10,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital \$5,000,000.00
Reserve Fund H.K. \$500,000.00

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BRANCHES: Canton, Saigon,
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pal cities of the world. All kinds
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posits and fixed deposits.Loans granted on approved
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Manager.Commercial Bank of
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Subscribed Capital \$5,000,000
Paid-up Capital 2,500,000Advances made on approved
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Interest allowed on Current Ac-
counts at 2 per cent per annum
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posits:—For 3 months at 3 1/2 % per annum.
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Chief Manager.

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Aut. Cap. Silver Dollars. 4,800,000
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Reserves Silver \$150,000

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Ch ung Foo Union Bank

(Established in 1910)

Subscribed Capital \$2,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital \$1,500,000.00
Reserve Fund \$200,000.00SHANGHAI BRANCH
27 Jinkoo Road
Telegraphic Address "CHUNGFOO"Telephone Numbers C. 1939
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C. 6470
C. 5420
T. T. Department.
General Office.

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K. P. CHEN,
General Manager.

The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

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SHANGHAI, APRIL 14, 1923

Weather

Cloudy and milder weather. Fresh N. E. winds to the South of the Yellow Sea. Moderate and variable breezes further North.

DEATH

WEL: At her home, No. 5 Jukong Road, Wei Changzhang, beloved wife of Wei Luk-chung, of Shanghai. The funeral will take place at 1 p.m. tomorrow afternoon (Sunday). All friends are invited to attend.

Some Questions For The Municipal Council And The Ratepayers

Note: The following questions and comments have been submitted to THE CHINA PRESS for publication. Their authors may wish to add or delete at their discretion. Discussion of them by members of the Council or ratepayers is invited.

- (1) Did the Council give any undertaking at a recent Ratepayers' Meeting with respect to the salaries of the Heads of Departments in Council service?
- (2) Was this agreement kept?
- (3) Did the First Assistants or Deputy-Heads receive an increase shortly after this meeting?
- (4) What Heads and Chief Assistants are going to receive a new increase or have recently received such, and when?
- (5) What justification have the Council for the rise indicated by 1 to 6? Are these increases for outstanding merit, or are they common to all of equal standing?
- (6) What is the machine, if any, which determines the salaries in the different departments? Is there a uniform scale, or is it left to the Head of each Department to do the best he can for those under him?
- (7) Incidentally, the increases denoted by 1 to 6 approximate to Taels 30,000 per annum. (1) more than in 1921.

The following figures are taken from the Annual Budgets for the years mentioned.

N.B.—Salary per annum is calculated on gross yearly salary at 12 months to the year; any deductions allowed but not shown cannot be taken into account.

No note is taken here of agreements ending and new agreements commencing.

Department	1918	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923
Volunteers	Y 8,555	8,555	7,180	8,400	8,400	11,400
Commandant	M 713	713	598	700	700	950
Sir	Y 9,000	9,000	10,800	10,800	12,000	12,000
Chief	M 750	750	900	900	1,000	1,000
Police Commissioner	Y 12,000	12,000	14,940	14,940	14,940	18,800
	M 1,000	1,000	1,245	1,245	1,245	1,650
Deputy Com.	Y 9,000	9,000	12,090	11,340	11,340	13,300
	M 750	750	1,008	945	945	1,100
Health Commissioner	Y 15,000	15,000	15,540	15,540	18,800	18,800
	M 1,250	—	1,295	—	1,500	1,500
Deputy Com.	Y —	—	—	—	12,040	11,400
	M —	—	—	—	1,003	950
Head Conductor	Y 6,480	—	5,340	5,340	7,200	7,200
	M 540	—	445	445	600	600
Finance Treasurer	Y 12,000	13,100	15,540	15,540	17,250	19,800
	M 1,000	1,092	1,295	1,295	1,433	1,650
Deputy Treas.	Y 6,000	6,000	8,530	—	—	12,000
	M 550	2 asst. 3 asst.	2 asst. 3 asst.	21,200	21,540	1,000
Assistant	Y 6,000	13,800	11,840	—	—	10,500
	M 500	—	—	—	—	875
Accountant	Y new appointment	—	—	—	—	9,600
	M —	—	—	—	—	800
Secretaries	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sec. & C. G.	Y 13,500	12,000	14,040	15,540	15,540	19,800
	M 1,150	1,000	1,170	1,300	1,300	1,650
Assistants	Y 15,900	18,640	23,820	25,570	29,450	33,000
	2 asst. 3 asst. 3 asst.	3 asst. 3 asst. 3 asst.	3 asst. 3 asst. 3 asst.	3 asst. 3 asst. 3 asst.	3 asst. 3 asst. 3 asst.	3 asst. 3 asst. 3 asst.
Revenue	Y 7,500	7,500	9,280	9,600	9,600	11,500
	M 625	—	773	800	—	958
Assistant	Y 6,000	6,000	7,140	7,740	7,740	8,670
	M 500	—	595	645	—	723
F.W.D. Commissioner	Y 12,960	15,000	15,540	15,540	15,540	18,800
	M 1,080	1,250	1,295	—	—	1,500
Deputy Com.	Y 8,400	10,800	11,340	11,340	13,720	11,400
	M 700	900	945	—	1,143	950
Education Head: P.S.	Y 9,100	9,600	10,140	10,140	10,140	10,140
	M 758	800	845	845	845	845
Deputy: P.S.	Y —	—	5,940	5,940	6,530	7,200
	M —	—	495	—	544	600
P.S. for C.	Y 7,200	8,280	8,940	8,940	8,940	8,940
	M 600	690	745	745	745	745
P.S. for C.	Y 5,800	6,800	7,140	7,590	8,340	8,340
	M 483	550	595	630	695	695
T.H.S.	Y 5,140	5,140	7,480	6,880	6,880	8,940
	M 428	—	623	—	—	745
Electricity Manager	Y 18,000	18,000	22,740	22,740	22,740	27,000
	M 1,500	—	1,895	—	—	2,300
Deputy	Y 10,800	10,800	11,340	14,400	14,400	12,112
	M 900	—	945	1,200	—	1,009
Secretary	Y 6,000	6,000	9,540	9,540	9,540	11,400
	M 500	—	795	—	—	950
Assistant	Y —	—	5,340	7,200	8,257	—
	M —	—	445	600	688	—

Note: Y indicates Annual Salary, and M Monthly salary, estimated to the nearest Tael.

Remember April 1921, and the Ratepayers' vote, on the Salaries Commission!

Would it not be a good thing if a book on the lines of the Book in Hongkong were issued concerning Municipal employees showing:

- (1) Date of entry, with qualifications, etc., as well as duties.
- (2) Commencing salary, and scale.
- (3) Allowances.
- (4) Present Salary.

What about having the Ratepayers' Meeting at 5:30 p.m. when the majority could attend?

POSTERITY'S PONDEROUS THUMB

Modern inventions are developing a race of button pushers. It means that all of the physical exercise of the future will be confined to posterity's thumb.—Medicine Hat News.

THEIR FOOLISH FUNNY BONE

A Philadelphia professor declares he has patented a light without heat. That's nothing new, big. Why some of the great men of the world did practical things. The professor will think him. The same thing—Brockville Mail by telephone.—St. Louis Times Journal.

WON'T RELINQUISH THE PERQUISITES

Another thing that adds no little to the gaiety of nations is the sight of an emancipated and independent suffragette suing for divorce on the grounds of non-support.—Kingston British Whig.

A SUGGESTION

Ask your grocer to adopt Russia's proposed economic system. Tell him to cancel what you owe him and then loan you money for the same thing.—Brockville Mail by telephone.—St. Louis Times Journal.



A man in Indiana shot his daughter for attending a cabaret performance. Very probably he was merely mercifully inclined and wanted to put her out of her pain at once.

Today, folks, we have the races with us again—although we'll say it's a hum time of the month to hold races on a strictly cash basis. We have been a rail-bird for several moons and whatever tips we pass out to the readers of this column must be considered strictly authentic and highly confidential.

In the first race, first, we feel that Liability will live up to its name. As far as Candoreen is concerned we might as well say that Spark Plug, we understand, still has ignition trouble. Red Pepper looks like hot stuff but we favor Heaver to win by a frog's hair.

Secretary Weeks has reported that the American Army has been called into service 104 times since the Revolution, and as we remember it, it has always done pretty well.

PA JONGG SEZ:

"There are two classes of the species Americans—those who pay income tax and those who say they do."

After looking our shirt over when it came back from the laundry last night we reached the conclusion that our washman proceeds on the assumption that he can bust all of the buttons some of the time, some of the buttons some of the time, and those that are left the rest of the time.

REMARKABLE REMARKS

"Things do not look any too promising for the reelection of President Harding,"—Senator Walsh of Montana.

"Why should the Devil have all the good tunes?"—Rowland Hill.

"The average girl, when she breaks her engagement, always wants to keep the diamond ring, especially if it's a genuine one."—John P. Medbury.

"When a woman reaches the stage of thoroughly understanding a man, she finds herself falling to understand whatever attracted her to him in the beginning."—Kay Koan.

"Let there be no inscription upon my tomb; let no man write my epitaph; no man can write my epitaph."—Robert Emmet.

Yes, Little Shrinkin' Violette, the reason why husbands with brunettes wives are wild about blondes is the same reason that husbands with blonde wives are nuts about brunettes.

SCANDAL

And there's a lust in men no charm can tame.

Of loudly publishing our neighbor's shame.

On eagle's wings immoral scandals fly.

While virtuous actions are but born and die.

—Walter Pope.

Thursday night we repaired to the Del Monte to study mathematics and ran smack into a lesson in geography. It appears that there is in our midst a man and his wife who actually hail from Clifton (N.J.) and they are at least agreed in taking exception to our insinuations that Clifton (N.J.) is a tank-town. Clifton, we were informed, possesses a fire department, a police department, copper-wired skeleton-proof houses an' ever' thing. And more-over there's a real estate boom on. We know a lotta New York folks but we haven't found any yet that would admit they'd ever been in Jersey, and we haven't been able as yet to discover the spot on the map that marks Clifton (N.J.) More anon.

OUR OWN PUZZLE CORNER

(Conducted by Miss Ima Hood Nanny especially for beginners in the Pagoda of Piffle)

China: "What will turn without moving?"

China: (after deep think) I donno.

What?

China: "Milk!"

China: "How Haw!"

"Is your face warped? Are you timber-jawed?" writes Dr. W. A. Evans in The Evening News. That guy must have seen us last week.

And now if you will pardon our removing ourself we'll go down our wild and woolly western togs (purchased from Mose Lewis Dept. Store, Montpelier, Idaho) and go to the Red Dog party at the Country Club. This happens to be our night to howl.

Larry

Correspondence

EDITOR, THE CHINA PRESS

Dear Sir,—The 16-voice band passed by the Moral Welfare League with regard to the sing song girl question on the 11th instant, as recorded by your paper of today, has certainly attracted a wide attention of the public.

In my opinion the resolution is disappointing and flimsy. There is not the slightest doubt that Mr. Calder put the resolution to the meeting with a view to giving the Chinese their traditional pleasure which, in his opinion, will not deteriorate their morality. It is also true that the action of the Municipal Council is unfair in discriminating the Chinese and Japanese sing song girls, the latter being exempted from the registration regulations.

As a Chinese of considerable experience in sing song houses I think I am right to point out that in some points Mr. Calder's speech is misleading. It is true that Chinese sing song girls do not sell their body in the first instance, but they do sell their body in consequence. People at first call them for giving pleasure in entertainments. After a number of calls they invite their friends to the sing song house, for which expenses ranging from four to ten times higher than a similar entertainment in restaurants must be paid. After the entertainment the final object of buying their body is in most cases attained. The question is thus answered that they do sell their body but do not sell it as quickly and easily as other prostitutes.

As regards the relationship between business transactions and sing song house, I will say that many people become acquainted with each other in sing song houses and are thus given more friends, but that very few business transactions are concluded in sing song house because every guest attending an invitation in sing song house ought to pay at least \$3 as gratuity to the house in addition to the cost of the dinner which is paid by the host. It is regarded by the Chinese that the proper place of giving dinner for business purposes is restaurants and not sing song houses. Therefore, it is obvious that the existence of sing song house will do more bad than good.

I hope that the above will give some light to the members of the Moral Welfare League and that they will reconsider the matter before submitting their resolution to the Municipal Council.

Yours faithfully,
D. Y. Chu.

WHY BE SORRY?

Dear Sir,—We are sorry to inform you that one insertion on page 7 of your paper dated 6th inst. saying that our general manager, Chu Chi Chien the former delegate to the Shanghai International Peace Conference and four prominent Chinese are being held for ransom by Shantung bandits, according to a private message and etc., was absolutely unfounded, as we have recently received from him his personal letter explaining that he was quite safe when he was passing his way back with a few friends to Tientsin from the mine.

We hope that the above rumor will be corrected by your tomorrow's issue.

Yours faithfully,
Chung Hsing Coal Mining Co., Ltd.
E. A. Wang.

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RUSSIAN RELIEF

You were kind to publish in your newspaper of the 9th inst., the report of our Committee for March.

As the figures of the expenses shown in this report appear to be not sufficiently detailed, we should like to ask you to be kind enough as to publish additionally a more detailed list of expenses which we enclose herewith.

Thanking you in anticipation,
I am,

Dear Sir,
Yours faithfully,
C. R. WALTER.

Addition to the monthly report of the Committee of Russian orphans of the Great War for March, 1923.

The report of the Committee of Russian orphans of the Great War, published in the North China Daily News of April 11 and The Evening News and The China Press of the April 9 has a list of expenses, which were made in the month of March.

In order to save space the items of the expenses were given in gross figures. It appears now to the Committee that it would be desirable to give more detailed list of expenses, which is the following:

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Stationary and books	94.09
Workshop materials	60.00
Expenses of the band	97.30
Acquisition of musical instruments, repairs	352.19
Total	449.49
Salary to the Assistant Secretary for February and March	100.00
Foreign telegrams and other office expenses of the Com.	55.00
Total	155.00
Extra repair of footwear and clothing	15.00
Salary to teachers:	
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Tuesday, April 17.

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By George McManus

An Essay On Food

(From Don Marquis' Column in the eye of Fothergill Finch, the Post of the New Revolt, as he was We were foolish enough to meet passing our table in a restaurant

SPRING IS COMING FOR A WHILE. VACUUM CLEANING HAS COME TO STAY.

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the other afternoon. Like a flash he was upon us.

"Ah!" he breathed and stood back a pace to feast his eyes upon us. "Thinner, aren't you? Ah, yes! The age that is coming is an age of thin men. . . men who have suffered with the race, men who have worked themselves to—

to—er—to—
"Death," we suggested, saying the wrong thing, as usual. It was his opportunity. He came and sat down opposite us.

"No, not to death," he whispered, leaning toward us. "Not to death, but to the limit of life. The men of the New Age will be those who give themselves no time for nourishment, no time for food. Men whose minds are masters of their stomachs. Men who are willing to starve for their ideals. Men who—"

"Come," said we, offering a menu. "Order yourself something. The Blue Points are very fine—with just a dash of tabasco—and—let's see—lamb chops and—perhaps French-fried potatoes. . . How would that be? And when you've had that, we'll see what else you want."

"Food!" He was scornful. "Food!" we soothed him. "Why not?"

"Food!" This was the third consecutive time he had said the word and each time there was less of scorn in it. "Food. . . food. . . food. . . He couldn't seem to stop saying it. There were tears in his eyes. "Food, food, food," he went on. We waved a finger at a passing waiter.

We gave the order and the waiter departed. Fothergill was mumbling idiotically. The burden of his talk was still the same word, but there were others with it now. We listened.

"Food is nothing to me. I do not depend upon food. Food! Am I not greater than the blood cells that compose me? Am I not greater than the atoms, the calories, the vitamins? Am I not greater than food? . . . The mind is master—master of the stomach, master of the world. Food! . . . Oysters! Nearly the lowest form of life! Chops! Fragments of a beast of the field! . . . Potatoes—French-fried potatoes! French-fried potatoes! He seemed unable to go on. He buried his head in his hands. We spoke to him like an elderly professor.

"The mind is master of the stomach twenty-one hours a day," we iterated. "The other three

hours belong to the stomach—morning, noon and evening. . . When did you eat your last meal?"

"Yesterday morning. Two eggs scrambled—they seem bigger scrambled, don't you think?—not very good eggs, but in general satisfactory. Yes, they served their purpose. Two eggs and toast and coffee. Cooked it all myself." The rebellion seemed to have subsided. But suddenly it burst forth again: "Food is the Slave-driver. One must have money for food. One must have food for one's mental effort!"

"Food for thought." Fortunately he did not hear us.

"One must keep alive and men do not pay for Truth! Truth! Priceless and valueless! Choose between Truth and Food. . . A ten-dollar bill for twenty lines of 'Immortal Truth'."

From his inside pocket his trembling hands produced some folded paper with scribbles on it. "After my scrambled eggs I wrote. I used the energy while it lasted. I put it to the service of Art. I shall read it to you:

I have eaten my Poem!
Eaten it, I tell you,
Eaten it.
I have mended it with a rusty fork
In my frying pan.
Black with old grease.
I have roasted it
Over the hot blue-yellow flame
Of my gas burner.
I have boiled it in an urn
And drunk it.

My Poem!
Everlasting Truth,
Everlasting Beauty,
Everlasting Thought!
Words
That will endure long after
You
And I
And the food you would not give
me
Are dust!
This I have eaten ravenously.
This dream that is stronger than
steel.

This thought that has been sent to me by him who thinks us all! I have chewed it up and eaten it!

Now I am built again.
I shall write more poems.
Refreshed, I shall produce more
Truth, more Beauty, more
Thought.

I shall sell it to an editor
At two eggs a line
And eat it, too!
I shall be myself a poem.
For I shall eat nothing but poems
occasionally!

The oysters had arrived. He hurried through the last lines and started to eat columns instead of poems. . . . When we left him the mind was not quite master of the stomach, but it was becoming so.

Don Marquis.

Carlyle On China's Arbor Day

Or let us give a glance at China. Our new friend, the Emperor there, is Pontiff of three hundred million men; who do all live and work, these many centuries now; authentically patronized by Heaven, so far; and therefore must have some "religion" of a kind. This Emperor-Pontiff has, in fact, a religious belief of certain Laws of Heaven; observes with a religious rigor, his "three thousand punctualities," given out by men of insight, some sixty generations since, as a legible transcript of the same—the heavens do seem to say, not totally an incorrect one. He has not much of a ritual, this Pontiff-Emporer; believes, it is likeliest, with the old Monks, that "Labor is Worship." His most public Act of Worship, it appears, is the drawing solemnly at a certain day, on the green

bosom of our Mother Earth, when the heavens, after dead black winter, have again with their vernal radiance awakened her, a distinct red Furrow with the

Plough—signal that all the Ploughs of China are to begin ploughing and worshipping. It is notable enough. He, in eight of the Serp and Unseen Powers, draws his distinct red Furrow there; saying, and praying, in mute symbolism, so many eloquent things!

If you ask this Pontiff, "What made him? What is to become of him and us?" he maintains a dignified reserve; waves his hand and pontiff-eyes over the unfathomable deep of Heaven; the "Tien," the sure kingdoms of infinity; as if asking, "Is it doubtful that we are right well made? Can aught that is wrong become of us?"—He and his three hundred millions (it is their chief "punctuality") visit yearly the Tombs of their Fathers; then man the Tomb of his Father and his Mother; alone there, in silence with what of "worship" or of other thought there may be, pained solemnly each man; the divine Graves, and this divinest Grave, all silent under him; the plagues of his own soul, if he have any soul, alone audible. Truly it may be a kind of worship! Truly, if a man cannot get some glimpse into the Eternities, looking through this portal—through what other need he try it?

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SOUTHERN PORTS.—The C.N. s.s. Lachow left Hongkong on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai about 8 o'clock this morning.

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The C.N. s.s. Szechuen left Hongkong on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow morning.

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The C.N. s.s. Yingchow will leave Hongkong today and is due in Shanghai on Wednesday.

The C.M. s.s. Hainchi will leave Foochow today and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

The C.N. s.s. Shantung will leave Hongkong tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

The C.M. s.s. Kwangtai left Hongkong on Thursday and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

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In Shanghai from Swatow on Wednesday morning.

NORTHERN PORTS

The C.N. s.s. Shantung left Tientsin on Thursday and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo and Weihaiwei tomorrow afternoon.

The C.N. s.s. Hainchi left Tientsin on Thursday and is due in Shanghai via Dairen on Monday.

The I.C. s.s. Kiangsu is due in Shanghai from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei today.

The I.C. s.s. Fausang is due in Shanghai from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei tomorrow.

The C.M. s.s. Hainchi left Tientsin for Dairen and Shanghai on Thursday.

The O.S.K. s.s. Fukukun Maru left Dairen on Wednesday afternoon and is due in Shanghai about 10 o'clock this morning. The steamer will dock at the Yangtseppoo Wharf and is to sail for Foochow, Keelung and Takao on Monday. Three bags of mail will be brought here on the Fukukun.

The K.M.A. s.s. Wugu Maru (chartered) left Chinwangtao on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai today.

The D.K.K. s.s. Salkio Maru is due in Shanghai from Dairen and Tientsin Monday morning and will dock at the S. M. R. Whangpoo Wharf. The steamer will sail for Tientsin and Dairen at 11 o'clock Tuesday morning.

The C.N. s.s. Tungchow will leave Tientsin tomorrow and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo and Weihaiwei on Wednesday.

The C.M. s.s. Hainchi will leave Tientsin today and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo on Tuesday.

JAPAN PORTS

The N.Y.K. s.s. Yawata Maru is due in Shanghai from Osaka, Kobe and Moji tomorrow and will dock at the N.Y.K. Mail Wharf.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Shanghai Maru is due in Shanghai from Nagasaki Monday morning and will dock at the Wayside Wharf.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Chikugo Maru is due in Shanghai from Yokohama and Yokkaichi on Monday and will dock at the Wayside Wharf.

INDIAN LINES

The P. & O. s.s. Sicilia, from Bombay on March 31, was expected to leave Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai Tuesday afternoon.

The P. & O. s.s. Kohimur (chartered) is due in Shanghai

from Bombay and ports today.

The B.I. s.s. Gambia, from Calcutta via Rangoon, left Hongkong Wednesday morning and is due to arrive in Shanghai tomorrow morning.

EUROPEAN LINES

The P. & O. s.s. Sardis left London on Thursday, March 29 at 3 p.m. and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on May 9.

The P. & O. s.s. Delta was due to leave London yesterday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on May 23.

The M.M. s.s. Andre Lebon, with the French mail of March 9, left Saigon at 7 a.m. Monday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai next Monday, April 16.

The Ben Line s.s. Benmore, from London via ports, left Manila on April 9 and is due to arrive in Shanghai via Hongkong on Monday.

The S.M. s.s. Ceylon, from Goubernburg for Shanghai, left Hamburg on April 6, and is due to arrive in Shanghai on May 19.

The P. & O. s.s. Nanking will leave Shanghai for London via ports this morning, and the tender outfit with outgoing passengers and hand baggage will leave the Customs Jetty at 9:30 o'clock.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Kitano Maru is due in Shanghai from European ports today and will dock at the Wayside Wharf. The steamer is to sail for Kobe and Yokohama tomorrow.

The P. & O. s.s. Nyansa, from London on March 15 with mail, is expected to leave Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai next Tuesday.

The Glen Line m.v. Glenamoy is expected to arrive in Shanghai from London on April 27.

The Glen Line m.v. Glenapp is expected to arrive in Shanghai from London on May 9.

The P. & O. s.s. Kashiwa which docked at the Shanghai and Hongkong Wharf Wednesday afternoon, will sail for Japan ports at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

The M.M. s.s. Armand Behie which docked at the S.M.R. Whangpoo Wharf Thursday morning, will sail for Marseilles and ports at 9:30 a.m. today, and passengers may embark at the wharf after 7 o'clock.

The Glen Line m.v. Glenogie arrived in Shanghai from London and ports early yesterday morning and docked at the China Merchants' Lower Wharf.

The M.M. s.s. Ambrose, with the French mail of March 21, will leave Saigon on April 10 and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on April 27.

AMERICAN LINES

The Dollar s.s. Harold Dollar left Vancouver for the Orient on Thursday, April 5.

The S. and B. s.s. West Farallon is due in Shanghai from San Francisco and Los Angeles on April 31 and will sail for Southern ports on the 23rd.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Grant was due to leave Seattle on Sunday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Yokohama and Kobe on April 25.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. West Nomentum is due in Shanghai from Portland, Ore., on April 25 and will sail for the same port via Hongkong and Manila on April 29.

The Dollar s.s. M.S. Dollar is due to leave San Francisco for the Orient on April 21.

The Dollar s.s. Virginia Dollar is due to leave New York for the Orient on April 21.

The Dollar s.s. Stuart Dollar is due to leave Vancouver for the Orient on April 23.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. West Orowa is due in Shanghai from Portland, Oregon, April 27 and will sail for the same port via Hongkong and Manila on April 30.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. Pawlet is due in Shanghai from Portland, Oregon, May 5 and is to sail for same port via Hongkong and Manila on May 11.

The P.M. s.s. President Lin,

from San Francisco on April 5, was due to leave Honolulu on Wednesday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Yokohama and Kobe on April 25.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. Scottburgh left Singapore for Marseilles on April 7.

The T.K.K. s.s. Taiyo Maru is due at Woosung form San Francisco, Honolulu and Japan ports early this morning and will sail for Hongkong in the evening. The tender with incoming passengers is expected at the Customs Jetty about 9:30 a.m., and the outgoing tender with passengers and baggage will leave at 3 p.m.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. Coaxet arrived at Manila from Shanghai on Wednesday.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. Eldridge arrived at Kobe from Yokohama on Wednesday.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. Bakersfield left Amoy for Swatow on Tuesday.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Madison is due to leave Seattle next Friday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Yokohama and Kobe on May 7.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Asia is due to leave Vancouver next Thursday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Japan ports on May 4.

The P.M. s.s. President Taft is due to leave San Francisco next Thursday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Honolulu, Yokohama and Kobe on May 9.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Jefferson is due in Shanghai from Seattle and Japan ports this morning and will dock at the China Merchants' Central Wharf about 10:30 o'clock. The vessel will shift its berth to the Standard Oil Wharf, Pootung, at 9:30 a.m. tomorrow, and is sailing for Hongkong and Manila the same day. The tender with outgoing passengers will leave the Customs Jetty at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning.

The P.M. s.s. President Pierce arrived at Woosung from Hongkong late last night and will sail for San Francisco via Kobe, Yokohama and Honolulu this evening. The tender with outgoing passengers will leave the Customs Jetty at 4 o'clock this afternoon, and incoming passengers from the steamer are expected to land about 9 a.m.

Launch Services

TODAY

The tender Outfit conveying passengers and hand baggage on board the P. & O. s.s. Nanking, for London will leave the Customs Jetty at 9:30 a.m.

The tender conveying passengers and baggage on board the T.K.K. s.s. Taiyo Maru, for Hongkong will leave the Customs Jetty at 3 p.m.

The tender conveying passengers and mail on board the Pacific Mail s.s. President Pierce, or San Francisco via Kobe, Yokohama and Honolulu will leave the Customs Jetty at 4 p.m.

TOMORROW

The tender conveying passengers and mail on board the Adl. O. Line s.s. President Jefferson, for Hongkong and Manila will leave the Customs Jetty at 11 a.m.

Steamers Arrived

Apr. 13—H. N'hae from Ningpo

Apr. 13—H. Peking from Ningpo

Apr. 13—Glenogle from London

Apr. 13—Takung from N'chwang

Apr. 13—Y. K. Maru from H'kow

Apr. 13—Changon from Hankow

Apr. 13—Meifoo from Hankow

Apr. 13—Gokensan M. from Jap.

Apr. 13—Woosung from Hankow

Apr. 13—Miyaura M. from Jap.



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E/Russia	June 18—July 2	E/Canada	Sept. 24—Oct. 8
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Kitano Maru Apr. 15	Toyokashi Maru May 4
Shanghai Maru Apr. 17	Tajima Maru May 5
Yawata Maru Apr. 18	Hakozaki Maru May 6
Chikugo Maru Apr. 19	
Nagasaki Maru Apr. 20	
Nikko Maru Apr. 21	

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April 14, 1923.

Sun rises today at 5.59
Sun sets today at 18.23

Barometer (variation for 24 hrs at 12 P. (variation for 12 hrs.)
Wind—direction
Wind—miles per hour
Temperature (Fahr.)
Humidity %
Nebulosity (0 to 10)
Barometer (mean & obs.)

April 8. 30.17 30.07 30.03
10.35 10.39 10.19 -0.07
10.25 10.07 -0.06 -0.14
NNE ENE ESE SE
12.4 5.7 12.4 26.1
60° 45° 43° 53°
1 0 3 1

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April 9. 30.07 30.03
10.35 10.39 10.19 -0.07
10.25 10.07 -0.06 -0.14
NNE ENE ESE SE
12.4 5.7 12.4 26.1
60° 45° 43° 53°
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SIKCAWEE ABRIDGED REPORT
Total rainfall, since Jan. 1 to midnight before last (inches)
Temperature (Min. 53° 4) (Max. 64° 2)
Rainfall (inches) 7.91 0.03 8.71

Future Sailings

FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

Ship	Destination	Agent
Apr. 14 4.00 San Francisco	San Francisco	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Apr. 15 — San Francisco	San Francisco	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Apr. 19 — Seattle	Seattle	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Apr. 20 — New York via Suez	New York	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Apr. 21 — New York	New York	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Apr. 21 — Vancouver	Vancouver	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Apr. 21 — San Francisco	San Francisco	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Apr. 22 — Tacoma, etc.	Tacoma	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Apr. 23 — New York via Suez	New York	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Apr. 23 — San Francisco	San Francisco	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Apr. 29 — Portland, Ore.	Portland	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Apr. 30 — Portland, Ore.	Portland	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
May 1 — Seattle	Seattle	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
May 1 — San Francisco	San Francisco	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
May 4 — San Francisco	San Francisco	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
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May 19 — Vancouver	Vancouver	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
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May 28 — San Francisco	San Francisco	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
May 28 — San Francisco	San Francisco	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
June 6 — Seattle	Seattle	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
June 8 — San Francisco	San Francisco	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
June 9 — San Francisco	San Francisco	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.

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May 5 — Melbourne, etc.	Melbourne	Br. M.M. & Co.
June 2 — Melbourne, etc.	Melbourne	Br. M.M. & Co.
July 7 — Melbourne, etc.	Melbourne	Br. M.M. & Co.

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

Ship	Destination	Agent
Apr. 14 5.30 Ningpo	Ningpo	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 14 5.30 Ningpo	Ningpo	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
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Apr. 14 5.30 Ningpo	Ningpo	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 14 5.30 Ningpo	Ningpo	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

Ship	Destination	Agent
Apr. 14 10.00 W. Chefoo, T'sin Chuan	W. Chefoo	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 14 10.00 W. Chefoo, T'sin Chuan	W. Chefoo	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 14 10.00 W. Chefoo, T'sin Chuan	W. Chefoo	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 14 10.00 W. Chefoo, T'sin Chuan	W. Chefoo	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 14 10.00 W. Chefoo, T'sin Chuan	W. Chefoo	Br. B. & S.
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Apr. 14 10.00 W. Chefoo, T'sin Chuan	W. Chefoo	Br. B. & S.
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Apr. 14 10.00 W. Chefoo, T'sin Chuan	W. Chefoo	Br. B. & S.

FOR RIVER PORTS

Ship	Destination	Agent
Apr. 14 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Hankow	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 15 11.00* Pukow	Pukow	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 15 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Hankow	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 16 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Hankow	Br. B. & S.
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Apr. 16 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Hankow	Br. B. & S.

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The China Press Mail Schedule

TO THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE				
DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Today	2 p.m.	P. Pierce	S. Francisco	May 3
Apr. 18	1 p.m.	Siberia M.	S. Francisco	May 14
Apr. 19	9 a.m.	P. Jackson	Seattle	May 5

TO STRAITS, INDIA & EUROPE VIA SUEZ				
DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Today	7.30 a.m.	Nankin	Marseilles	May 20
Apr. 27		P. Locat	Marseilles	June 2

TO NORTHERN PORTS				
TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	
W'wei, C'foo, T'sin	Today	9 p.m.	Kingsing	
Vladivostok & Siberia	Today	5 p.m.	via Train	
Newchwang	Today	9 p.m.	Takung	
W'wei, C'foo, T'sin	Today	8.30 a.m.	Chusan	
Tientsin	Apr. 15	9.30 a.m.	Chinkiang	
Tientsin	Apr. 16	8.30 a.m.	Fengtien	
Tientsin and Dalny	Apr. 17	9.30 a.m.	Sakio Maru	
Newchwang	Apr. 17	10.30 a.m.	Kwangse	
W'wei, C'foo, T'sin	Apr. 17	1.30 p.m.	Shuntien	

TO SOUTHERN PORTS				
TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	
Foochow	Today	7.30 p.m.	Ninghsin	
Swatow	Today	8.30 a.m.	Shinkang	
Tongkong & Canton	Today	7.30 a.m.	Nankin	
Amoy	Today	8 a.m.	Sungshan M.	
Swatow	Today	9 p.m.	Kwangse	
Hongkong & Canton	Today	1.30 p.m.	Taiyo Maru	
Hongkong & Canton	Apr. 15	9 a.m.	P. Jefferson	
Amoy	Apr. 17	10.30 a.m.	Shantai	
Hongkong & Canton	Apr. 17	10.30 a.m.	Liangchow	
Swatow	Apr. 18	10.30 a.m.	Saichien	
Amoy	Apr. 18	9 p.m.	Sunning	

MISCELLANEOUS PORTS				
TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	
River ports	Today	9 p.m.	via Train	
Manila, Australia and N. Zealand	Today	9 a.m.	P. Jefferson	
Japan ports	Apr. 15	11 a.m.	Kitano Maru	
Germany, ports	Apr. 16	7 p.m.	Shanghai M.	
Japan ports	Apr. 17	5 p.m.	Rhineland	
Japan ports	Apr. 18	9 a.m.	Yawata Maru	
Japan ports	Apr. 18	7 p.m.	Chikugo Maru	

Steamers Departed				
Ship	Destination	Agent	Departure	Remarks
Apr. 13—Kiangshing for Hankow	Hankow	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.	Apr. 13	
Apr. 13—Kiangshing for C'king	C'king	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.	Apr. 13	
Apr. 13—Tatung for Hankow	Hankow	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.	Apr. 13	
Apr. 13—Nagasaki M. for N'gai	N'gai	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.	Apr. 13	
Apr. 13—Nordstrand for C'tao	C'tao	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.	Apr. 13	
Apr. 13—P. Wilson for H. Manila	H. Manila	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.	Apr. 13	
Apr. 13—Feiching for Wenchow	Wenchow	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.	Apr. 13	
Apr. 13—H. N'had for Ningpo	Ningpo	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.	Apr. 13	

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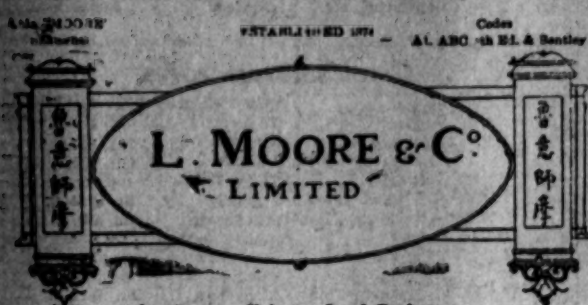
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THE WHOLE OF THE
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND SUNDRIES
HALL—Mirror back Hat and umbrella stands, M.O.P. Inlaid wall plaques, lanterns, etc., etc.
DRAWING ROOM—Brussels Carpet, matting, Teak tapestry covered Drawing room Suite, spring arm chairs, Salamandre stove, Mantle mirror, Silver ware cabinet, center table, carved side chairs, Old bronze bell with blackwood stand, Fancy porcelain, cloisonne and brass vases, ornaments, Oil painting, pictures, Victrola, records and cabinet, lace curtains, etc.
DINING ROOM—Carpet, Large mirror back sideboards, dinner wagon, Dining table and chairs, mantle mirror, clock, E. P. and Glass ware, Crochery glass door bookcase, Gramophone, bronze and brass vases, ornaments, oil painting, pictures, porcelain vases, etc.
CONTENTS OF BEDROOMS—Bevelled mirror door wardrobes, bevelled mirror back dressing tables, marble top mirror back washstand chest of drawers, Pedestal, Teak double bedstead with box spring and hair mattress, White enamelled single and double bedsteads, table, chairs, mantle cabinet, marble clock, iron safe with key, kerosene oil table lamps, tapestry curtains, Copper and brass tender, fire brasses, lacquered wall brackets, oil painting, pictures, etc.
BATHROOM—Enamelled iron bath, Porcelain wash basin, stove with piping commodes, cupboard, Shaving mirror with stand, etc.
ATTIC—Cupboards, shelves, stoves, wardrobe, brass stair rods, books, etc.
PANTRY AND KITCHEN—Ice chest, store cabinet, meat safe, "Shamons" Cooking range, filter table, ice cream freezer, etc. 1 Rubber tyre Rickshaw.
On view Friday the 13th.

IN FRONT SALE ROOM

Today Saturday, April 14th, 1923, at 2:30 p.m.
EXCELLENT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND SUNDRIES
COMPRISING:
1 Suite White Enamel Bedroom Furniture, Bevelled mirror Wardrobes, Dressing Tables, Chest of Drawers, Washing Stand, Night Tables, 1 Suite Oak Dining Room Furniture by Hall & Holt, Ltd., (13 pieces), Nipper Inlaid Silver Ware Cabinet, Roll Top and Flat Top Desks, Chesterfield Couch and Arm Chairs, Round and Square Tables, Double and Single Iron Bedsteads, Mirror back Hat and Umbrella Stand, Overmantels, Kodak Safety Razors, Electric Pliers, Oil Paintings, Picnic Basket, New Ice Chests, Large bevel-edged mirror Sideboard, Cellarette, Telescopic Extension Table, Oak stained Hall Seat, Sink with stand, Wooden Child's Cot, Crochery, Glassware, E. P. Ware, Cooking Utensils, Fountain Pens, Table Cloth, Dead Handbags, Enamel Iron Bath, Filling Cabinet, Safe Stands, Samla Cases, Persimmon, New Folding Cars, Vases, Silver Ware, Golf Clubs, Side Drums, Gramophones, Electric Table Fan, Guitars, Ladies Blouses and Jumpers, Ladies Hats, etc., etc., etc.
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ABOUT NOON

2 Fox Terrier Pups.
2 Police Dogs (Female).
1 Black Retriever (Female) 12 months old.
1 Australian Terrier.

POSTAGE STAMPS

In Upper Sale Room
Today, Saturday, April 14th, 1923, at 2:30 p.m.
A REALLY FINE LOT OF POSTAGE STAMPS
Such as Asia, British Colonials, China, Hawaii and Old German States.
NOW ON VIEW

AT No. 22 SEYMOUR ROAD

On Tuesday, April 17th 1923, at 10 a.m.
THE WHOLE OF THE SUPERIOR AND ARTISTIC HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND SUNDRIES (MOSTLY MANUFACTURED BY TAI CHONG & CO.)
contained therein

HALL—Umbrella vase, Brass bell, Mirror back Hat and umbrella stand, Oil Painting, Blackwood flower stand, Table, Chairs, etc.
NEW AXMINSTER CARPETS ON STAIRS AND LANDING—Brass stair rods.

DRAWING ROOM—Axminster Carpet, Japanese lacquered inlaid fire screen, Brass coal box, Fire brasses, E. P. mounted Out-rigger Egg in glass case, Silk Tapestry covered Teak Drawing room suite, Carved Canton blackwood writing desk, Carved Blackwood marble top table, Flower stands, Brass Jardiniere, Fur Rugs, Bookcase, Books, Vases, Good Pictures, Silver ware, etc.
DINING ROOM—Carved Oak Sideboard, Blackstained Round Extension Dining table, Folding card table, Tapestry covered spring Arm Chairs, Leopard skin rug, Good E. P. Ware, Crochery, Glass ware, Oil Paintings, Brass vases, etc.
CONTENTS OF 4 BEDROOMS—Axminster and Brussels Carpets, Fur rugs, Tin lined Ottoman sofa, White enamelled Oval bevelled mirror door large wardrobe, Oval mirror back dressing table, mirror back chest of drawers, Table and Chairs to match, Brass mounted White enamelled Single Bedsteads, Horse hair mattresses, Elder down quilts, Table and bed linen, White enamelled bevelled mirror door wardrobes, mirror back dressing tables, Chest of drawers, Simmons's Single Bedstead, Pictures, Rattan chairs, Electric table lamp, Bookshelves, etc., etc.
PANTRY AND KITCHEN—Teak chest, Cupboard, Table, Dresser, Marble top table, Saucepans with iron rack, etc.
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FORWARD AUCTIONS

Monday, April 16th, at No. 29 North Soochow Road.
Old Chinese Porcelains, bronzes and Scrolls belonging to Dr. Stafford Cox.
Saturday, April 21st. Stamp Auction—Property of C. R. O. Mc-Bain Esq. Upper Sale Room.
Friday, April 27th. House Auction—No. 54 Range Road.
Saturday, April 28. Stamp Auction—Upper sale room.
Monday, April 30. House Auction—No. 43 Peking Road.

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Nanking Mar. 19
Korea Maru Mar. 28
President Cleveland Apr. 1
Shinya Maru Apr. 7

FOR VANCOUVER

Empress of Asia Mar. 24
Canadian Prospector Mar. 29
Philoctetes Apr. 3
Canadian Winner Apr. 8
Empress of Canada Apr. 9

FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA

Bratsburg Apr. 10

FOR SEATTLE

President Grant Mar. 14
Shizuka Maru Mar. 22
Alabama Maru Mar. 22
President Madison Mar. 26
Wheatland Menata Mar. 29
President McKinley Apr. 7
Arabia Maru Apr. 13

FOR PORTLAND, ORE.

West Jena Mar. 12
West Cayote Apr. 8
West Kader Apr. 8
West Jessup Apr. 13

FOR NEW YORK

Toba Maru Mar. 13
Agamemnon Mar. 15
Celtic Prince Mar. 16
City of Lincoln Mar. 21
Bethel Dollar Mar. 23
Shavron Prince Mar. 23
Heffron Apr. 4
Havana Maru Apr. 4
Victorious Apr. 5
Coast Apr. 6
Munster Castle Apr. 10
Archer Apr. 11
Samaris Apr. 11

FOR UNITED KINGDOM

Antycoon Mar. 15
Glenshane Mar. 16
Kashmir Mar. 17
City of Bristol Mar. 17
Suwa Maru Mar. 24
Antiochus Mar. 30
Burybates Mar. 30
Lyons Maru Mar. 31
Dongola Mar. 31
Pyrrhus Apr. 1
Antiochus Apr. 2
Polyphemus Apr. 3
Dencalion Apr. 6
Fushimi Maru Apr. 7

FOR HAMBURG

Havelland Mar. 11
Lima Maru Mar. 19
Ludendorff Mar. 20
Paris Maru Apr. 3
Carl Legien Apr. 5
Pembrokehire Apr. 7
Pfalz Apr. 12

FOR COPENHAGEN

Afrika Mar. 31
Assay le Rideau Mar. 15
City of Simla Mar. 24
Porthos Mar. 30

FOR MARSEILLES

Assay le Rideau Mar. 15
City of Simla Mar. 24
Porthos Mar. 30

FOR TRIESTE

Trieste Mar. 26

FOR INDIA

Soudan Mar. 26

Financial And Commercial News

Exchange Fluctuations
Asia Banking Corporation

April 13, 1923

Spot bar silver was up ¼d. and forward 3-16d. in London yesterday. The New York price advanced to 65½ cents and the London-New York cross rate declined to 46½. Our official Sterling quotation here today was raised to 3-14, the Gold Dollar rate to 72½, the Yen rate dropped to 66½ and the other rates changed accordingly.

Our market here was steady in the morning with sellers of Sterling at 3-14 for April, 32-1-16 for May and 3-2 for June. There were sellers of Gold Dollars at 74½ for near and forward deliveries.

In the afternoon the market was a shade steadier and closed with sellers of Sterling at 3s. 2½d. April, 3s. 2½d. May and 3s. 2½d. for June.

There were sellers of Gold Dollars at 74½ for April and 74½ for forward delivery. There were sellers of Yen for April at 65½ and buyers at 65½ and sellers for May-June at 65½ and buyers at 65½.

Banks were quoting 3s. 2½d. 75½ and 1130 for Sterling, Gold Dollar and Franc bills respectively.

China Banks bought silver in London yesterday and the market is reported as closing steady. New York also report their market as steady.

Stock Exchange

Transactions

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS

Shanghai, April 13, 1923

OFFICIAL

H. & S. Banks \$1,120.00
Telephones Tia. 73.00
Shanghai Tugs (Ord.) Tia. 74.00
Tia. 75.00, 77.00
Shanghai Docks Tia. 106.00
Sungat Duri Tia. 9.50
Langkats Comb. Tia. 29.50 May
Tia. 29.50 June

UNOFFICIAL

Ewo Mills (Ord.) Tia. 15.50 June
Anglo French Lands Tia. 115.00
Shanghai Docks Tia. 104.00
Langkats Comb. Tia. 27.75 April
Tia. 28.25 April
S. & H. Wharf Tia. 208.50

CHINESE GOVERNMENT BONDS

(Supplied by Sing Tung & Co.)
Thursday, Yesterday's

3rd Year 6% 93.00 93.00
5th Year 6% 47.00 47.00
7th Year 6% 40.90 40.90
9th Year 6% 61.40 61.20
6% Consolidated 46.00 45.90
7% Consolidated 49.30 49.10
11th Year 8% 96.00 96.00
96 millions 8% 26.20 26.10

INTERNATIONAL BANKING CORPORATION

CLOSING COUNTER RATES
Demand selling on America 73½
Demand buying on America 74½
Demand selling on London 3s. 1½d.
Demand buying on London 3s. 2½d.

ROUBLE EXCHANGE

Bank's Selling Rates
It Lire 14.55=1 Tael
Swiss Frs. 3.90=1 Tael
Marks 12.00=1 Tael
Equivalent Foreign Quotations
It Lire 93.55=1 Pound Sterling
It Lire 20.05=1 U. S. Dollar
It Lire 134.30=100 Fr. Francs

SINO-ITALIAN BANK

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It Lire 134.30=100 Fr. Francs

NOT GOOD ENOUGH

Ottawa, March 1.—A resolution proposing the prohibition of gambling on racecourses, moved by Mr. Good, an Ontario Progressive, was rejected in the House of Commons by a majority of twenty.

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Yesterday's Close

Stock Closing Quotations

Banks

H. K. and S. H. \$1,100 B.
Chartered \$17,400 B.
Russo-Asiatic Nom.

Marine Insurance

Canton H. 610 B.
North China Tia. 188
Union of Canton H. 240 B.
Yangtze Tia. 200 B.
Far Eastern Ins. Tia. 200 B.

Fire Insurance

China Fire H. 110 B.
Hongkong Fire H. 400 B.

Shipping

Indo-China Del. H. 880
Indo-China Pref. H. 40 B.
"Shell" 880 B.
Shanghai Tug ord. Tia. 74 B.
Shal Tug Pref. Tia. 49½ B.

Mining

Kaiping Tia. 17½ B.
Oriental Cons. 18½
Raub 87

Docks

Hongkong Dock Tia. 104½ B.
Shanghai Dock Tia. 103 B.
New Eng. Works Tia. 8 B.
Prof. Tia. 3.30

Wharves

Shanghai Wharf Tia. 207½ B.
Hongkong Wharf H. 8178

Lands and Hotels

Shal Hotel Ltd. Tia. 40 B.
China Realty Ltd. Tia. 60
A-French Land Tia. 115 B.
Shanghai Land Tia. 115 B.
Carlton Ltd. Tia. 28 B.

Cotton Mills

Ewo (Ord.) Tia. 14½ B.
Ewo (Pref.) Tia. 100 B.
Ewo (Ord.) Tia. 80
Laon-kung-mow Tia. 7½ B.
Shanghai Cotton Tia. 105 B.

Industrials

Butter Ties Tia. 25
China Sugar Tia. 22½ B.
Green Island Tia. 20 B.
Langkats Tia. 27½ B.
Major Bros. Tia. 5
Shal Sumatra Tia. 105

Stores

Hall and Hollis Tia. 94 B.
Jewelry Tia. 94½ B.
Lane Crawford Tia. 94 B.
Montre Tia. 17 B.
Watson Tia. 15

Rubbers (local)

Sumatra Tia. 7 B.
Amharst Tia. 0.85
Anglo-Java Tia. 0¼ B.
Anglo-Dutch Tia. 8 B.
Jaya Tawah Tia. 21 B.
Jaya Anam 1918 Tia. 0.90 B.
Sukit Toh Alang Tia. 2¼ B.
Phomor United Tia. 1.15
Chempedak Tia. 7
Chang Tia. 1.90 B.
Jonsolidated Tia. 2.80 B.
Dominion Tia. 2.80 B.
Gula, Kalumpuns Tia. 11¼ B.
Java Consolidated Tia. 14.00 B.
Karyang Tia. 94 B.
Karan Tia. 7½
Kedah Tia. 1.80
Kota Belroe Tia. 1.40
Kroowock Java Tia. 14½ B.
Padang Tia. 5¼ B.
Pengkalan Durian Tia. 1.15
Farmats Tia. 2.85 B.
Repah Tia. 0.80 B.
Samagaga Tia. 0.80 B.
Sekees Tia. 1.10 B.
Semambu Tia. 1.10
Senawang Tia. 1.20
Shal Klebang Tia. 0.90
Shanghai Malay Tia. 2¼ B.
Shal Malay pref. Tia. 8¼
Shanghai Pahang Tia. 1.10
Sungai Tia. 1.05
Sungai Duri Tia. 0¼ B.
Sua Mangga Tia. 2¼ B.
Shal Seremban Tia. 0.80 B.
Tapiing Tia. 0.75
Tanah Merah Tia. 0.75 B.
Telong Tia. 1.40 B.
Zhangbes Tia. 2.85 B.

Miscellaneous

C. I. & E. Lumber Tia. 820
Cully Dairy Tia. 14
Shanghai Trans. Tia. 145 B.
Shanghai Gas Tia. 40½ B.
Horse Bazaar Tia. 50
Shal Mercury Tia. 20 B.
Shal Telephone Tia. 73½ B.
Shal Waterworks Tia. 175 B.

S. Sellers, Ss. Sales, Ss. Buyers

Shanghai Sharebrokers Association

Shanghai, April 13, 1923

OFFICIAL

Langkats Comb. Tia. 27.75 April
Zhangbes Tia. 3.80
Langkats Comb. Tia. 28.00 April
Tia. 28.50 May

UNOFFICIAL

Ewo (Ord.) Tia. 15.00
Langkats Comb. Tia. 28.25 May
New Eng. (Ord.) Tia. 3.10
Permatas Tia. 2.75
Tram Tia. 150.00 April